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AMERICAN NEWS.

Dr. Justin's Dynamite Cartridge Experiment Blows the Gun Into a Thousand Pieces.

The Cloak Makers Strike at Philadelphia Settled Satisfactorily to the Employes.

Verdict of the Jury in the Seawing Disaster—The Captain's License Revoked.

Grangers' National Exhibition.

WILLIAM'S GROVE, Aug. 26.—The formal opening of the Grangers' National exhibition, which took place here at noon to-day, was attended by 5,000 persons. Hon. Leonard Rhone, of Centre county, the worthy master, to-day took the opening address, and was followed by J. J. Woodman, secretary of the National grange and State Senator Girard C. Brown, of York county, who is state lecturer. A fine display of cereals, etc., is made by the Northern Pacific road, and the horticultural exhibition greatly surpasses that of former years.

The Effects of Drink.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26. — Dr. Edward Simon, aged 33, editor of the New Yorker Handel Zeitung, made a determined attempt to commit suicide to-day. He first took morphine, and this proving ineffective he stabbed himself about the arms and body. When found he was bleeding profusely. He still declares he will kill himself. He has been drinking excessively of late.

Acknowledging His Guilt.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 26.—Emil V. Koester was arrested here to-day, charged with embezzling $7,000 from a number of societies in Minneapolis, Minn., of which he was treasurer. He acknowledged being an embezzler at his hearing this afternoon, but said he had taken only $2,000, which he had used in his business, with the hope of repaying it. Finding himself unable to pay he ran away. He went to Europe and returned two weeks ago to live in Philadelphia. The Minneapolis authorities were advised of Koester's arrest, and he was held to await a requisition.

A Costly Experiment.

UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 26.—There was another trial of Dr. Justin's dynamite cartridge at Perryville this afternoon. The first shot was successful but the second blew the cannon into a thousand pieces, one big fragment being carried over the village a mile away. Although he has lost $20,000 by having two of his big guns blown into atoms, he still thinks his invention will make him rich. He claims this accident was due to a flaw in the steel. No one was injured.

Cloak-Makers' Strike Settled.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 26.—The cloak-makers' strike, which has been in progress eighteen weeks, was declared off last night and the strikers returned to work today. Settlement was reached through the medium of J. H. Moraiss, a Jewish rabbi, and George Rondasf, agent for the Baron Hirsch fund and the association of Jewish emigrants. Less than 100 of the 400 original strikers are now here, the others having gone to Chicago and New York.

The "Sea Wing" Disaster.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The investigation of the Seawing disaster on Lake Pepin in July last has been concluded, and the report of the local inspector has been received by the supervising inspector general. The report says: "At the time the Seawing left Lake City, about 3 o'clock p.m., there was every indication of an approaching storm, although the witnesses in behalf of the steamer claim it could not be seen from where she lay behind Lake City point. At the time the Seawing left Lake City it was blowing nearly straight up the lake, but after she had been out 30 or 40 minutes the wind suddenly changed and blew off the Minnesota shore. She had been running in this direction about 10 minutes when a sudden squall or gale came down the lake, struck and capsized the steamer almost instantly. The steamer was about four miles up the lake from Lake City, opposite Maiden Rock, about an equal distance from either shore. We are satisfied that nothing could have been done to save the steamer after the squall struck her, as it was so sudden and violent. There were on board the steamer Seawing at the time of the capsizing about 215 persons, including the crew and officers (100 in number), of which 98 were drowned. This was an excess of about 30 passengers more than her certificate of inspection and excursion permit allowed. We also find that the said steamer did not have a pilot or a sufficient crew as required by her certificate of inspection and excursion permit. The steamer was in command of Captain David Wetherl who was also one of her owners. "After a careful review of the evidence we found that Captain Wetherl violated sections 4462, 4465, 4467, R. S., and so much of 4450 as relates to unskilfulness by coming as he did in the face of an approaching storm, and failing after he had started out to run along the Minnesota shore where there are good harbors every mile or so, instead of up the centre of the lake. We therefore this day revoke his licence as master and pilot, and report the case to the United States district attorney for prosecution.

The Sawtelle Mystery.

DOMER, N. H., Aug. 25.—A surprise is in store for Isaac B. Sawtelle, who will be arraigned before the grand jury next week on a charge of murdering his brother Hiram, whose remains were unearthed just across the line in Maine last February. State officials have been hard at work hunting up evidence against the accused, and say they have discovered enough to hang him. The reason for getting the evidence together so early is to convince the grand jury that the murder was committed in New Hampshire. The state professes to have evidence enough to convince twelve unprejudiced men that Isaac Sawtelle and his brother Hiram drove toward East Rochester about half an hour after leaving the depot; that after proceeding nearly one and one-half miles from the center of the town the men had a discussion and that in a barnyard three shots were fired, which caused the death of Hiram. His body was then put into the bottom of the waggon and driven through East Rochester, N. H., and South Lebanon, Me., to a place in the woods on the road to South Berwick, where it was dismembered with a hatchet and placed in a grave dug with a pickaxe and shovel purchased by Isaac Sawtelle at Wallace's hardware store in Rochester that very afternoon. Nothing is known of the whereabouts of Hiram's head and clothing.

Father Burtsell Suspended.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Rev. Richard Lalor Burtsell, late pastor of the church of the Epiphany, who was removed from his charge on account of expressed sympathy with the ex-communicated Dr. McGlynn, has been temporarily suspended from the exercise of his functions as a Roman Catholic priest in the Diocese of New York. The dicision of the Propaganda in his case (which has not heretofore been made public) was in effect that the Doctor should be removed from his pastorate at the Church of the Epiphany, and make an apology or retraction for his action to the Archbishop. He was allowed a certain time in which to do this, with the warning that, if he failed to give evidence of his penitance within the alloted time, a sentence of temporary suspension would be passed. It is not true that Dr. Burtsell was offered the Parish of Rondout. He was simply removed from the Church of the Epiphany and Dr. Pendergast, of Rondout, appointed in his place. Dr. Burtsell will never again take charge of any church within the diocese of Archdeacon Corrigan. Should he comply with the requirements demanded of him by some, he will be rehabilitated and sent to another diocese in accordance with the general custom of the church in regard to priests who have been suspended. The official news relative to Dr. Burtsell's sentence has only just reached New York, and is for the first time given to the public. Now that the doctor has refused to comply with the Propaganda, there are many points in common between his position as regards the church and that of Dr. McGlynn, both of their cases are entirely out of the hands of Archbishop Corrigan and the only power which can deal with them in the future, is the Propaganda. In the future the archbishop will have no more to do with either case than he would have with the affairs of any priest outside of his diocese.

Chicago Express Ditched.

HARPER'S FERRY, Va., Aug. 26.—The Chicago express on the B. & O. road, ran into an open switch this evening, near Point of Rocks, where it struck some cars that were lying on the siding and was badly wrecked. Engineer David Seiller, who had been in the employ of the company for twenty years, was instantly killed; the fireman was badly, probably fatally, injured. Engine, baggage, and postol cars were wrecked, and the balance of train was derailed, but no serious consequences followed. The passengers were severely shaken up, but none were severely injured. A wrecking train soon arrived and cleared the track and traffic was resumed.

It Was Loaded.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 26. — Gordon day, 16 years old, of Canton, was fatally shot to-day by the accidental discharge of a large navy revolver, with which three boys were playing.

Friendly Arbitration.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—The committee representing the Illinois Central railroad employes engaged in the train service, which has been preparing a new schedule of wages, called on General Manager Beck at his office this morning. They were courteously received. They presented their schedule and requested its adoption. The increase they request cannot now be exactly learned, but it ranges from 5 to 30 per cent. The committee were assured that their schedule would be carefully considered, and an answer given them in ten days.

The Deadly Crossing.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 26.—John Crow and his 9 year old son were killed at Webster street crossing of the Northampton division of Consolidated road to-night by a passenger train.

Early Rebellion.

NEBO, Ills., Aug. 26.—A man named Fielder, living near here, was killed to day by his fourteen year old son. The boy wanted to plant a certain piece of ground in wheat, and the father objected whereupon the boy went to the house, got a gun and shot the old man dead.

Organization Matters.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 26. — About thirty members of the different organizations met here to-night to endorse the action of the New York Central road strikers. Powderly was upheld; Vice-President Webb denounced; and financial aid voted. A committee was appointed to raise funds for the support of the strikers. The resolution of the Central Labor Union of New York was read, and although the chairman moved their adoption they were not passed. One of the speakers denounced the "subsidized press."

Bodies Recovered.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The bodies of Marie Schulz, Moritz Stadler, Bertha Schulz, John Logan, and Peter Hauke, who were drowned by the capsizing of a row boat off Whitestone, Long Island, last Thursday, were found floating in the Sound this afternoon off Fort Schuyler, and fully identified.

Grangers in Convention.

CARLISLE, Pa., Aug. 25. — The seventeenth annual national exhibition of grangers opened at Williams' grove, near Meckanicsburg, to-day, with an attendance of over 2,000 people. This afternoon the State and National Grangers held their annual business meeting. To-morrow the exhibition will be put into active operation.

It Saved His Life.

GENTLEMEN,—I can recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, for it saved my life when I was about six months old. We have used it in our family when required ever since, and it never fails to cure all summer complaints. I am now fourteen years of age. FRANCIS WALSH, Dalkeith, Ont.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Emperor William's Leniency Towards the Socialists of Germany Inspires Their Confidence.

A Scheme to Build a Railway up the Famous Matterhorn Opposed by the Swiss.

Timothy Healy Says Nothing Stands Between the People of Ireland and Starvation.

SOCIALISTS MEET IN BERLIN.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The fact that seven thousand Socialists were allowed to meet openly in Berlin last night, and that Herr Bebel was allowed to address them for two hours, is an indication of the relaxation which, under young Emperor William and since Bismarck's fall, has been made in the administration of the anti-Socialist laws. The conclusion must not be arrived at too hastily, however, that an era of perfectly free speech has dawned upon Germany. The fact is that a complete understanding existed in advance between Herr Bebel and the police as to what the substance of his address was to be. Otherwise, it is improbable that the meeting would have been allowed to take place at all. The speech accordingly was a very moderate one, and it is being referred to with great complaisance by the government organs as proving the wisdom and far seeing statesmanship of the Emperor, who by his policy and leniency towards the Socialists and of solicitude for the welfare of the working classes, has inspired even the Arch-socialist Bebel to place confidence in the government's good intentions. This is a trifle exaggerated, but it is near enough to the truth to pass well with the admirers of the Emperor. The meeting after listening to Herr Bebel's address, resolved unanimously to defer all future meetings and all newspaper polemics until after international congress which meets at Halle in October.

A RAILWAY UP THE MATTERHORN.

A railway company which is making desperate efforts to secure from the Swiss government a right of way up the famous Matterhorn, is meeting with an equally earnest opposition from the people, who regard the proposal as one of desecration. Though the excuse for the railway is that it would accommodate tourists, the chief opposition to the scheme comes from that very class, who argue that the picturesqueness and healthfulness of the Swiss villages would largely disappear with the advent of a railway.

THOROUGHLY LOYAL.

The Munich Gazette has of late indulged in a series of attacks upon Chancellor Von Caprivi. Fearing that the prominee of the paper might be taken to indicate the inspired nature of those reflections, the Bavarian government has officially informed the imperial authorities that it deprecates the publication of such articles, and that it is thoroughly loyal in its support of the chancellor.

THE POTAO BLIGHT.

Speaking at a league meeting in Dublin to-night, Timothy Healy referring to the potato blight in Ireland, said that nothing stood between the people and starvation during the coming winter. The sufferers might not legally withhold their rents, but the man who paid rent and left his family to starve was little better than an assassin. If it was found necessary to appeal to the Irish in America and Australia, the assistance thus obtained ougdt not to be shared with any man who had paid rent during the preceding twelve months.

EIGHTEEN THOUSAND STRIKING MINERS.

Despite the return of 1,000 strikers to work at Mons, there are at present fully 18,000 miners on strike in Belgium, and there is no immediate prospect of a settlement of the trouble.

GREAT STRIKE IMMINENT.

The demands of the dockers at Southampton have been rejected by the employers, and a strike on a great scale is believed to be imminent.

CANADIAN NEWS.

In Honor of Prince George.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 26.—General Sir John Ross gave a large and brilliant ball at Bellevue to-night. The guests included Prince George, Admiral and Lady Watson, Lieut.-Governor Daly and wife, and the leading members of society. The ball was in honor of Prince George.

After Mackerel.

HALIFAX, Aug. 26. — A dispatch from Digby says that an American seiner was reported in St. Mary's Bay to-day after mackerel, and the inhabitants were taking steps to notify the nearest Canadian cruiser.

Simpson Island Copper Mines Sold.

HALIFAX, Aug. 26.—The Simpson Island Copper mine at Passamaquoddy Bay, near Eastport, Me., has been sold to a Boston company for $250,000 in stock. The capital stock of the company is $2,000,000.

Lt.-Col. Sproat Dead.

OTTAWA, Aug. 26.—A telegram received at the Interior Department says that Lt.-Col. Sproat, ex-M.P. for Bruce, and registrar at Prince Albert since December, 1880, died on the 20th inst.

Extending Its Influence.

MONTREAL, Que. 26. — L'Etendard, a French ultramontane paper, and organ of the Jesuits in Canada, will be published also daily in Lowell, Mass. It intends to represent the same doctrine there.

Canadian Affairs in England.

MONTREAL, Aug. 26.—Sir Donald Smith, who returned from England yesterday, says Canadian affairs are being discussed more and more, and Canada is becoming more and more the centre of attraction amongst all classes on the other side of the water. He states that Sanford Fleming's scheme for a cable from Vancouver to Australia is coming gradually to the front, and he believes that the time is not far distant when the Imperial parliament, following in the wake of the Dominion, will give practical evidence of their interest in the great scheme. The "Empress of India," one of the ships now building for the Canadian Pacific, will be launched on Saturday next, and Sir Donald says she will be already to sail for Vancouver by the first of November.

Sir Hector Langevin Coming.

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 26.—On Friday morning next Sir Hector Langevin, accompanied by Thos. Chapais, editor of Le Courier du Canada, Madame Chapaise, the Misses Langevin and Mr. Roy will leave this city for the west, remaining over night in Toronto, going thence to Owen Sound and Port Arthur, where the private car Champlain will be placed at their disposal. Sir Hector goes to the Pacific coast partly on business and partly on pleasure, and besides visiting Winnipeg, Banff and other interesting points, the French Canadian chieftain will take in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

The Southern Pacific Complies with the Demands of Its Conductors and Brakemen.

Lewis the Strangler Downs Dan McLeod, Nanaimo's Champion, Three Times in an Hour.

Railroad Men Victorious.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—The Southern Pacific company to-day complied with the demands of conductors and brakemen. The salaries of the former are raised $25 and brakemen $10 per month. About 2,000 men are involved.

$6,000 Unaccounted For.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 26.—The residence of H. W. Edwards, a few miles south of this city, valued at $14,000, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The house was insured only for $8,000.

Seven Lives Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—A despatch to the Merchants' Exchange, from London, says that in the collision between the British ship Argomene and British bark Dovenley, reported yesterday, seven men were drowned.

The Strangler Wins.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—The wrestling match between Evan Lewis, the "Strangler," and Dan McLeod, champion of the Olympic club, took place this evening at the Orpheum theatre in the presence of over 2,500 people. The match was for $400 aside, Lewis to throw McLeod three times in one hour. The "Strangler," who weighed twenty-four pounds more than the Olympic club man, carried out his contract, winning the three falls in 49 minutes. The first bout lasted 28, the second 8, and the third 13 minutes. The final bout was very exciting, McLeod assuming the aggressive, and three times in succession almost succeeded in making Lewis' shoulders touch the carpet.

Matters from the North.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—Capt. L. L. Tanner of the United States fish commission steamer Albatross, at Ounalaska, writes that he has just finished his examination of Bristol Bay and finds that the great coal banks lie along the north side of the peninsula, from the west cape of Unimak to Cape Constantine off the Mushragak. A series of geodetic surveys will be continued during September and prosecuted towards westward. He also writes that the Rush has gone north, and that owing to lateness of the season he does not expect any more vessels up. The Albatross will sail for Port Townsend about the middle of September and will subsequently come to this city, when the surveys have been completed.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Mombassa and Nyanza Railway.

ZANZIBAR, Aug. 26.—The Mombassa and Nyanza railway was inaugurated yesterday in the presence of the British and other foreign consuls, Admiral Freemantle, of the British navy, and a large number of other Europeans.

The Meyer Murder Mystery.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 26—A report reached here to-day that Alexander Phillipson, of this city, who was a passenger on the steamer Normande, has been detained at New York under the belief that he is Adolphe Phillipson, the murderer of Meyer, the man who was killed in Copenhagen some time ago, and whose body was shipped to New York in a cask by the murderer. The authorities here state that Adolph Phillipson, the real murderer, is still in custody in this city.

Equine Steaks.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The cafes in Berlin which openly announce the sale of horse meat are thronged daily. Patrons of these places express a great admiration for equine steak, but carping critics allege that it is the price and not the quality of the food which attract customers.

Candidates for Oxford.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—There is a large increase in the number of candidates for Oxford university this year. Returns indicate a reaction against the classics, a preference for English subjects and involuntary studies.

"I Want to Die."

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Special—Reports from Vienna say that the health of the Emperor Francis Joseph is failing fast, and that he has relapsed into a state of melancholy, which it is not impossible will be a forerunner of paresis. A Vienna dispatch says that when dressing for the marriage of his daughter, the Arch-Duchess Valeria, to the Arch-Duke Francis Salvator, the emperor remarked to one of his attendants, "This is my last happy day; after this I want to die."

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B. C. UNIVERSITY.

First Convocation Held Yesterday—Election of Senate Representatives—Interesting Discussion.

Appointment of a Committee to Consider Suggested Amendments to the Charter.

The inaugural statutory convocation of the University of British Columbia was opened yesterday morning in the chamber of the Legislative Assembly under the most satisfactory auspices. The meeting was held under the provisions of the Act respecting the university, which says that within a month of the closing of the register of members of convocation "the provincial secretary shall call a meeting of convocation by notice in writing sent to each member of the convocation, at which meeting the provincial secretary shall preside; and the convocation so called shall choose three of its members to be its representatives on the council of the university, who shall hold office for one year and until their successors are appointed, and the provincial secretary shall, as soon as possible after the election by convocation as aforesaid, notify the chancellor of its election."

Hon. John Robson, in taking the chair, remarked that although it was proposed to run the institution on strictly sectional lines he would call upon the Bishop of New Westminster to invoke the Divine Benediction.

Bishop His Lordship had offered "Prevent us, O Lord, in all our doings," and the Lord's Prayer,

Hon. Mr. Robson called upon Mr. Angus to read the roll call and act as secretary until a secretary were appointed.

The roll being read was answered to as follows, viz.:

From Victoria—Messrs. S. D. Pope, David Wilson, John Anderson, Rev. Donald Fraser, James Stuart Yates, Wellington J. Dowler, John Nicholson Muir, Henry Goward, Rev. A. J. Beanlands, James McGregor, Dr. Milne, William Atkins, Robert Williams, Dr. Newcombe, Fred'k. G. Walker, J. P. McLeod, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, W. A. Richardson, W. B. Lamberton, C. J. Loewen, Dr. Duncan, Rt. Rev. Bishop Hills, J. Landells.

From Vancouver—Rev. E. D. McLaren, W. J. McGuigan, T. A. McGarrigle, Sidney Herbert, G. H. Dawson, F. H. Tuck, J. H. Quigley, G. E. Farrer, Simon Vaughan, Charles Whetham, W. D. Brydone-Jack, D. L. McAlpine, Henry J. Campbell, H. E. Langis, J. M. Lefevre, Andrew McC. Creery, R. P. Cooke, Andrew C. Lawson, P. C. L. Harris, C. D. Rand, J. M. O'Brien, E. Odlum, Fred. Schofield, Alex. Robinson.

From New Westminster—Rt. Rev. Bishop Sillitoe, W. A. de Wolf Smith, Albert J. Hill, David Robson, F. M. Cowperthwaite, Rev. A. Dantonvill, A. J. Brydone Jack, H. Fiennes-Clinton, A. E. B. Hill, R. I. Bentley, A. Morrison, Rev. Henry Irwin, H. L. Stramberg, R. W. Armstrong, Ven. Chas. F. Woods, W. W. B. McInnes.

Edward Furrer, Kamloops; Rev. J. A. Jeffray, North Arm; Rev. N. J. Roberts, Kuper Island; Geo. F. Bodington, Allix, Matsqui; Geo. Samson, Clinton; M. McKinnon, Mayne Island; Edward B. Paul, Esquimalt.

The chairman suggested the appointment of a secretary. It was better that the meeting should make the appointment; that he should belong to the convocation and that the work should go on in the usual way.

On motion, Mr. J. M. O'Brien, of Vancouver, was appointed secretary.

HON. MR. ROBSON

said that as he understood the duties of the meeting, they were in a strict sense statutory; and were purely and simply for the election of members of council. He had, he might say, noticed in the press a good deal of disparagement of the University act. Most of those present would be aware of the history and origin of the measure, which was the outcome of a number of larger and smaller meetings held in this city by persons who had been impressed with the necessity that existed for the taking of steps to establish a university in British Columbia. The first result of these meetings had been that a large and influential deputation had called upon the Government to take up the bill which they had prepared at considerable trouble and expense. The question then arose as to whether the bill was of a public or private character. If private its passage would have involved the payment of a fee of $200 and a different method of procedure. The Goverment agreed however that it should be taken up as a public bill and they would give it a general support, with the understanding that while they supported the bill as it had been prepared they assumed no responsibility for it. Under the circumstances the government did not see that they were justified in making any amendments and allowed the measure to pass much the same as a private measure. He did not say this as in any way an

ANSWER TO THE CRITICISMS

which had been passed upon the measure, with which he did not agree. If the critics had had to do with drafting the bill, the possibility was that it would have been much more defective than it was. It was due to the gentlemen who had prepared the bill to say that the country was indebted to them for the measure and the steps they had taken to establish a university in British Columbia. Instead of having been castigated and abused, those gentlemen should have had the public thanks for having brought the measure to the state in which it now was. Of course no bill was perfect, but he was convinced that this bill would be ample to establish the university. The act could easily be made more perfect hereafter. There was one matter to which he wished to advert. There had been a statement abroad, in one section of the province particularly, that a fair opportunity had not been given to many people to sign the register of university graduates. As head of the department, he could not plead guilty. Though no other duty lay on him than that of opening the register and keeping it open in his office, he went beyond that and caused an advertisement to be put in the papers so as to give full opportunity to all graduates all over the province to be registered. He trusted the meeting would bear with him if he now alluded to what appeared to him to be the main breaker ahead in the launching of this ship, and that was the sectional one. Some might say that this was indiscreet on his part. Some gentlemen here might or might not have come

FREE FROM ALL PREJUDICE,

and he would therefore be pardoned for what he said before the election of three of their number to the council of the university. There were some who had said that the number of graduates on the mainland largely predominated over those upon the island, and that therefore the university should be established on the mainland. He was not going to discuss that question; but sight must not be lost of the fact that the supreme object was to secure the establishment of a university for British Columbia. That was the primary object, and ought to be the governing principle of the convocation. It was very true that there were communities which might be pardoned for setting forth the claims of their own locality in this respect. Nay, the sentiment was not only excusable, but was to a certain extent a commendable ambition, so long as it was made subservient to the prime object—the obtaining of a university for British Columbia. Moreover, such feeling, within proper limits, was calculated to have the best effects, as giving a stimulating interest in the object to be attained. If, however, these sentiments were allowed to run on the lines of uncompromisingly insisting on conflicting claims, and if the barque were wrecked on the rock of sectionalism, the enterprise would be thrown back for years. Let members of convocation, he would urge, be

LOYAL TO THE PROVINCE

as well as to themselves. Let them advance their own claims; but let them subordinate them to the determination to have a university established that should not only be a credit to the province, but should meet its growing wants in that respect. He felt—and his connection with the university ended with this statutory business—confident that if other considerations were made subordinate, there would be established in an unusually short space of time a university of which the Province of British Columbia might be proud. Not only would the achievement be a feather in their cap; but it would be an event of great and potent influence in favor of British Columbia and the education of its people. The gentlemen present who represented the highest education and the learned professions, had given considerable time and trouble to the launching of this university boat, and he prayed God that they might be kept from sectionalism and self-seeking, might prove loyal to the province and successfully establish an institution which would tell so much on the provincial education of the future. He wished to say, in answer to a question which had been put to him and had

CREATED SURPRISE IN HIS MIND

that in any appointments made by the Government they would be guided as far as possible by the lines which he had indicated and, apart from sectional considerations, the appointments would be representative of the different sections as much as possible. He was confident that all present would be governed by a feeling of that kind, and would not be led away by the suspicion that the government would do anything unfair to any part of the province. He would now call for the nomination of three gentlemen to represent this convocation in the Council of the University. He would recommend that the election be by ballot and that two tellers be appointed. If any gentleman desired to speak, it was now in order for him to do so.

REV. D. FRASER

agreed with the remarks of the chairman. It was necessary that there should be practical unanimity. He had for some time looked forward to this event and was glad to be connected with it. He believed it would be possible to elect, without difficulty, three gentlemen in such a way that they should be satisfactory to all parties. It would be well, he thought, to appoint a small nominating committee, who would retire and after a brief deliberation, bring in the names of three men whom they had selected as suitable representatives. He would advise that the committee be chosen from the three large cities of the province. They would be supposed to know who would be most favorably received by their own people, and, perhaps, had been already spoken of. If the three names selected did not commend themselves to the meeting those nominations could stand and other nominations be made. It would be, in the highest degree, desirable that it should go forth to the province that the decisions arrived at had been harmonious and unanimous. He had reason to think that the course which he proposed would be the means of attaining that end.

The motion having been seconded,

BISHOP SILLITOE

observed that he had taken somewhat of a leading part in connection with the University bill. As one of the graduates from the mainland, who had been the first to register, he would say that all were animated by the desire to make the effort a success. The University of British Columbia was here being constituted, and it was the heartfelt desire of every one from the mainland to do his best to successfully carry out the scheme. He did not think that it was quite fair to visit on the graduates from the mainland all that had appeared in the papers. In a country like this it was but natural that individuals should take a keener interest in their own locality than elsewhere. He did not, however, think that anything which had been said or done deserved the rather severe criticisms which had fallen from the chair. He fully recognized that this was to be the University of British Columbia, and not of either the island or the mainland. He therefore trusted that a decision would not only be arrived at without rivalry or ill-feeling, but with the utmost harmony. He was not certain that the proposition laid before the meeting was wise. Sometimes, when work was delegated to committees, it was not well done; and then there was a feeling that a meeting must not too severely criticize the work of a committee appointed by itself. He, therefore, strongly deprecated the delegation to a committee of the work of this convocation, and should move an amendment, "that each member of convocation be at liberty to nominate members to represent this convocation on the council of the University of British Columbia, and that when the nominations be declared closed, they be voted upon by this convocation." He believed in fair play; he did not wish to say anything about divisions, and he did not know who held the balance of power. It was only right that each member should have the right of making his own nominations.

Mr. R. Williams seconded Bishop Sillitoe's amendment, saying, let us have everything done openly and aboveboard.

Mr. Robson, of New Westminster, said his experience was that committee work was not safe work. It was not safe to entrust this matter in the hands of any three men, because their nominations would virtually be reaffirmed by this convocation. They might nominate people who were utterly unsuitable; but the convocation would feel it to be hard to reject them. He heartily endorsed the Bishop's motion, as being absolutely fair, placing it beyond the possibility of any man saying that he had been unable to nominate the candidate of his choice.

Dr. Langis, (Vancouver), said the members had attended convocation of their own free will, and he did not see why they should leave to three members the task of doing their work. It was, no doubt, best to have the vote taken by ballot; but they had not come here to have all their business done by three representatives. They had assembled for a public purpose, and he trusted all would exercise their own discretion.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES will please take notice that the receiver has been discharged by order of the court, and business is now being conducted as usual.
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Victoria, July 29, 1890. 22 Cormorant St.
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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on and after the 1st day of July next, the "Consolidated Thistle By-Law" will be enforced, and that the owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee of any land on which thistles are found not cut down will be prosecuted.
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jly1-tf

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, pronounced on the 6th day of August, 1890, I have been appointed receiver of the partnership estate of G. C. Sauer & Co. All debts due to said partnership are payable to me, and all claims against the said estate must be presented to me.
B. GORDON.
August 7th, 1890 a8

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. ALAN S. DUMBLETON, Solicitor of Supreme Courts of England and British Columbia, has been admitted a Partner in the firm of Messrs. Walker & Pemberton, Barristers and Solicitors. The firm will on and after the 1st day of July next be carried on under the name of Messrs. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH Columbia. In the matter of "The Quieting Titles Act," and in the matter of the title of Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to sections 1 (one) and 2 (two), range 6 (six), Chemainus District, in the Province of British Columbia. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an application was made to the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, on the 11th day of June, instant, for a declaration of the title of the above mentioned Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to the above mentioned lands, and it was thereupon declared by the said Judge that on payment by the said Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to the legal representatives of the late Lucy Emily Hall, of the sum of $1,000.00 (one thousand dollars) and interest, bequeathed to her by the late Elizabeth Hall, the said Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall are entitled to an estate of inheritance in fee simple of and in the above mentioned lands as tenants in common, in equal shares, subject only to the reservations containtd in the 23rd section of the said Act, and to the taxes for the current year; and unless an objection is made within five weeks from the date of this advertisement, a declaration of title in accordance with the above act will be issued by the said Judge.—HARVEY COOMBE, Deputy Registrar.
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NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works of the Province of British Columbia for permission to purchase 6,700 acres of land in Westminster district:

Lot 1.—Commencing at post at high water on Bute Inlet marked "J. B. H. & Co.;" thence north 80 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 120 chains, thence west 200 chains, more or less, to a stake on the Homalko River; thence following said river bank to point of commencement; containing 4,400 acres, more or less.

Lot 2.—Commencing at a stake marked J. B. H. & Co.," on the shore of Bute Inlet, about 60 chains north of the mouth of Southgate River; thence east 120 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 100 chains; thence south 80 chains, more or less, to said Southgate River; thence following river bank to point of commencement; containing 1,600 acres, more or less.

Lot 3.—Commencing at a stake on south bank of the Southgate River; about 30 chains from high water; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north to river, and following said river to point of commencement; containing 300 acres, more or less.

Lot 4.—Commencing at the Indian Reserve post on the west bank of the Homalko River; thence west 40 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to river; thence following bank of river to point of commencement; containing 400 acres, more or less.
a8 T. F. SINCLAIR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain lands situate on De Horsey Island, Coast District, described as follows: commencing at a stake about 900 yards or thereabouts north-east from Parry Point; thence in a north-easterly direction following the shore line, and containing 160 acres more or less.
JNO. IRVING.
May 26th, 1890. my27

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 51 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros.' Restaurant and Bakery, has this day been sold to Mr C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts to 28th July will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.
STEITZ BROS.
Victoria, 28 July, 1890.

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.
jy31 C. C. FOX.

In the Matter of Bernard Goulding, deceased intestate,
—AND—
In the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia was made on the 29th inst. authorizing the undersigned to administer the personal estate of the late Bernard Goulding.

Therefore, all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send in particulars of the same, and all parties indebted thereto are requested to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.
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In the Matter of JAMES WARD, Deceased.
—AND—
In the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 12th day of August, 1890, it was ordered that I, William Monteith, should be administrator of all and singular, the goods, chattels and credits of James Ward, late of the City of Victoria, deceased.

And notice is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the said deceased, are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, particulars, in writing, of said claims on or before the 12th day of October, 1890.

Dated Victoria, 12th August, 1890.
WM. MONTEITH,
au14-1m Official Administrator.

NOTICE.
"Heroes of the Dark Continent"

IS NOT Stanley's book as unscrupulous agents have and are representing it in Victoria. It is a compilation of matter got up by conscienceless publishers to forestall the publication of his own book. If you have subscribed for that work as Stanley's you have been deceived into purchasing an unauthentic and unreliable book. His own book will bear the title "In Darkest Africa and the Quest, Rescue and Retreat of Emin, the Governor of Equatoria," by Henry M. Stanley, with 16 maps and about 150 illustrations, in two volumes, published by the Chas. Scribners Sons, and the Presbyterian News Co.

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BIG ELEPHANT YARN.

A Tug-of-War Extraordinary as Told By a Disciple of Munchausen.

The London Graphic prints some elephant and crocodile pictures obtained from a certain Major-General Robley, who bases them on an "elephant yarn," as he styles it, told him by one Barcus, who was probably related to a celebrated German Baron named Munchausen. Barcus thus told his tale, and it will be seen that there is a good deal of tail to it:

"Two years ago I was on a shooting expedition up the Ganges, and on the lookout for big game of any kind. One day I came across the 'spoor' of a very big rogue elephant. As it was getting dark, I determined to follw up the 'spoor' next day. Accordingly daybreak saw me on the track, and soon I came to a large tank, and there I saw my friend having a farewell drink, and splashing in the water like an animated haystack. He was far beyond range, and as there was little or no cover near, I could only watch and wait. Presently he moved off, and, the wind being favorable, I followed closely.

"And now comes the strange part of my story. We arrived at a smaller tank, which I saw at a glance was full of crocodiles. In floundered the elephant and down went his trunk for a drink. Suddenly he started and began to struggle like mad. I rushed close up and found he had been seized by a large crocodile. A brief struggle and the elephant began to 'walk away.' But soon there was a check, and then, to my astonishment, I saw another 'croc' had got No. 1 by the tail. But still the elephant had the pull, when a second and then a third 'croc' fell in, each holding on to the other's tail.

"It was a grand sight, and I became quite excited. I offered my tracker 'evens' on the elephant, which he took. Suddenly another 'croc' fell in, and the elephant began to give. I thought it was all up with him, but he just twisted his tail around a tree, and there he was as firm as a rock. The tracker claimed a foul pull, but I overruled his objection."

"But how did it end?" asked I, yawning for it was getting late.

"I will tell you," said Barcus. "The elephant brought his native cunning to bear where force failed. He took a deep breath and blew with all his force down the first 'croc's' throat, nearly choking him. 'Croc' opened his mouth to breathe, and the elephant walked away. And thus ends my yarn."

THE GREED FOR RICHES.

In Striving for the Unattainable Many Sacrifice Their Happiness.

Then, too, I learned this truth, w[illegible] Ed R. Pritchard in the Arkansaw T[illegible]eler, that a certain amount of this world's goods can be made to contribute to our comfort, our betterment, in a thousand ways; but beyond that, while it may gratify a desire for pomp and display, for things that really are of more benefit to us it is really more of a burden than a blessing. The getting of wealth for purposes of adding to the genuine comforts and happiness of our families, to be used in this way for the healthful, physical, intellectual and moral advancement of those we love and labor for, is certainly one of the highest and noblest of occupations. Of course it is assumed that the processes use to obtain it are clean and honorable, and that the effort of mere money-getting ceases whenever a reasonable competency has been secured.

Such an object can be pursued without the loss of any of those qualities that go to make up the highest type of manhood; but the moment one gets in haste to be rich, to hoard, to pile up thousands for the mere pleasure of seeing them grow into hundreds of thousands and these hundreds of thousands into millions, just that soon does he begin to fall away from true manhood and in time becomes an oppressor and an enemy to his fellows.

I believe in a law that would limit this fortune-getting somewhere. No one man has any business with a fortune of fifteen or twenty millions. It is more money than he will use properly, though he might do so; but the fact is, he don't. Another point to be remembered is, that not one in thousands can succeed in amassing an enormous fortune. So be content with a competency and you will be infinitely happier in a realization of modest desires than you can possibly be in striving for what is practically unattainable.

HIS UNLUCKY DAY.

A Brooklyn Man Proves That His Theory Is Based on Good Grounds.

"I tell you what it is," said a Brooklyn man, as reported by the New York World, "I am firmly convinced that every man has his particular days for good and bad luck. Monday is my unlucky day. I have been watching it for twenty years, and nothing can shake me in this belief. I never begin an enterprise, no matter how trivial, or start on any journey on that day. Therefore I make Monday an off day and do nothing but patter around the house. Even in these little affairs every thing goes wrong. Take the record of last Monday, a fair average, and be convinced:

"Smashed finger while nailing board on fence.

"Fell down cellar stairs with coal-scuttle.

"Fell over wheelbarrow while carrying step-ladder.

"Sat down on chair when children had been pulling taffy.

"Got swindled by peddler.

"Got thumb pinched in gate.

"Dropped smoothing-iron on foot.

"Baby got out in yard and was butted by strange goat.

"Tax man called.

"While eating supper square yard of ceiling fell on dining-table.

"Went to bed to escape further disaster. Had nightmare. Thought I was falling from top of Eiffel tower. Fell out of bed and broke arm. Looked at clock and saw it lacked fifteen minutes of midnight. Lay still till clock struck twelve. Was afraid if I moved before Tuesday was ushered in would have broken neck.

"Yes, indeed," concluded the man, "Monday is my unlucky day, and I approach it with feelings akin to terror."

PAWN-SHOP PICTURES.

How People Get Loans at Three Per Cent. a Month.

Behind a long counter, worn smooth and greasy by many a threadbare sleeve, is a short, fat man, with a drooping mustache and small gray eyes—eyes that are like a ferret's; they never look directly at a man, but the person who stands before them knows instinctively that they have taken him in from head to foot, have shown the pawn-shop keeper how sorely money is needed, how much spirit is left in the "borrower." "Sizing a man up," is the pawn-shop phrase for it.

Don't say any thing by way of introduction, advises a New York Tribune reporter. There is no need to say any thing. He knows that you have not come there to lend money to him. Take out your watch, say, and lay it on the shining counter.

"How much?" he asks indifferently.

He has picked it up and is looking at it contemptuously, so that you see that he does not consider it worth $7. And that watch cost you $250, perhaps.

"Thirty-five dollars—about," hazarding a guess.

"Can't do it," shortly; "thirty."

"Very well, then, we can't make a bargain."

This gives him a cue. He takes a little "coupon" and begins to write on it.

"Thirty?" he asks as if there were no doubt about it.

"No."

"Thirty-two?" softly.

"Oh, no, not thirty-two."

He has finished his writing. Going to a drawer he pulls forth four bills, one five and three tens. Laying the "coupon" on them he pushes them toward you, reaching for the watch.

"Wait a minute. I think I want $40."

"Oh, pshaw, $40. It isn't worth $35, but I'm willing to accommodate you with thirty-five. No more."

A young man is at your side, nervously tapping the counter with a pair of opera-glasses, and the small eyes shoot swift glances at him.

"How much?" gruffly

"Five dollars."

"Five nothing; two."

"I got five for them last time."

"Fiftieth time I've heard that to-day. Never were here before in your life."

"Three, then," doubtfully.

"Two," is the sharp response.

"Oh, very well," says the cowed young man in despair. "Two."

But he is so confused that he seizes his coupon and darts through the door, leaving his $2 on the counter.

"Humph," grunts the man behind the counter; "first experience at this sort of business."

The young man rushes back, crying breathlessly; "My $2! I left it on the counter; where is it?"

"What $2?" says the other, looking at him with his restless gray beads of eyes.

"Oh, give it to me," cries the poor wretch almost with a wail.

"Here's your money, young man," says the pawnbroker with a smile which is almost good-natured. "I thought you might miss it, so I took care of it for you. You ought to be more careful about money matters." And the young man goes out shamefaced as if he had accepted alms—alms at 3 per cent a month.

A young girl who has quietly slipped in drops a ring on the counter. She carried it in her closed hand. Perhaps she drew it from her finger just before she entered the front door. She keeps her eyes turned from every one; her hands tremble and her lips are bloodless.

"How much?"

"Oh, any thing," she says, in a low tone.

"Three dollars?"

"Yes," as she nervously twists the ring in her shaking fingers. You can almost hear her catch her breath as she reaches the do[illegible]

"Well? (Th[illegible]rret eyes have flashed over you again). Thirty-five?"

"No, I think I said forty."

"Thirty-seven?"

"No."

"Well, forty," suddenly, for you have started for the door.

"No, thank you."

"Forty-five," a cry follows you into the narrow hall-way. But you are near the street, and the air ahead of you looks bright and inviting, and as you step on the sidewalk your lungs feel refreshed. It is pleasant to see people in the street. They seem more like men and women than the unfortunate creature who trembled before the pawn-shop.

EASILY EXPLAINED.

Why a Smart Dog Took the Place of a Setting Hen.

"Speaking of the dog show," said the man in the slate-colored trousers to a New York Tribune reporter, "reminds me of an astonishing proof of canine intelligence which came under my observation in the year 1879. I was at that time residing in Binghampton, Broome County, N. Y., and had a considerable amount of live stock, some poultry and a superb setter dog. I tell you he was a fine animal. I never see a dog with such gentle ways. Gentlemen, you could have pulled enough hair out of that deg to stuff a sofa pillow and he wouldn't 'a' bit a bald-headed baby. One day he was runnin' around the yard and somehow he playfully snapped the head off a hen. Gentlemen, I never knowed how he did it, but somehow or other the dog found out that she was a settin' hen and blamed if the critter didn't go and set on them eggs himself till he hatched out nine chickens."

There was a significant silence as the man in the slate-colored trousers finished and toyed suggestively with his glass.

"How do you explain such a remarkable occurrence?" at length inquired the man on the end.

"Setter dog, gentlemen," and then the man in the slate-colored trousers strolled away.

General Grant's Widow.

Mrs. U. S. Grant leads a very quiet life in New York. Her eyesight has become poor and she seldom appears in public except to drive in the park. General Sherman is a frequent and wel-

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of "The Trustees' and Executors' Act," and in the matter of KATE CECELIA FINERTY and ANNA MARIA FINERTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY order of Court I have been appointed Guardian of the persons and estates of the above-named infants in the place and stead of Patrick Houlahan, who has no longer any authority to deal with the estates and effects of the said Infants; and all persons are cautioned against interfering with the said estates, cattle, etc.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Victoria, Aug. 4th, 1890. Guardian.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors,

RE CHESTER LEE TERRY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an indenture dated and executed on the 14th day of August, 1890, and made between Chester Lee Terry of the corner of Broad and Yates street, in the City of Victoria, dry goods store-keeper, of the first part, and Alfred C. Flummerfelt, of the City of Victoria, merchant, and Frederic J. Claxton, of the same place, real estate agent, of the second part, the said Chester Lee Terry did convey and assign all his real and personal property in British Columbia unto the said Alfred C. Flummerfelt and Frederic J. Claxton, upon trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said Chester Lee Terry.

All persons having any claims against the said Chester Lee Terry are required to send particulars of their claims to the said trustees on or before 14th day of September next. All persons indebted to him are requested to pay to the said trustees the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

Dated 14th August, 1890.

CHARLES E. POOLEY,
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House and 6 acres of fine grass land on Oakland Estate ... at per acre,	810
50 acres at Cadboro Bay, half cleared, all fenced ... at per acre,	370
7-roomed newly built house and 2 lots on Johnson street	3,780
157 acres timber and farming land on line of railway, with stream through property, in Oyster Bay District	1,000
4,000 acres of farming, coal and timber land, on Denman Island, at per acre,	15
2 lots James Bay, on car route	2,200
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THE Executive Committee desires to remind intending exhibitors that the latest dates upon which exhibits at Vancouver for Toronto can be received are:

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Perishable exhibits, September 1st, and hopes they will recognize the necessity for forwarding their specimens in time for those dates, or earlier if possible. ag17

British Columbia Board of Trade.

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au13-1m F. ELWORTHY, Sec.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase an island at the mouth of Bella Coola river, containing five acres more or less.

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THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

The open drains, the unemptied cesspits, the filth-soaked soil of many places are producing their natural effects. There are many cases of typhoid fever in the city. The male wards of the Jubilee Hospital are full, and the managers contemplate refusing admittance to men patients, as they have nowhere to put them. Diphtheria has made its appearance, and there is a great deal more sickness generally in the city than there ought to be. If the premises around many dwellings were closely examined the origin of the various vile stenches that almost sicken the pedestrian as he takes his walks abroad would be no mystery at all. Neither would the prevalence of sickness. The warm weather, which is a blessing, and ought to be a source of enjoyment, causes the hotbeds of disease, which are allowed to remain in almost every part of the city, to be more deadly. It is not pleasant to write of these things, and we are told that it is not good policy to mention them. But being silent about an evil, and taking some trouble to conceal its existence, are not the ways to get rid of it. What this city wants is not concealment, but reform. Besides, it is impossible to hide the violation of sanitary law that is committed in this city, and which is permitted by the corporation. The visitor's sense of smell is offended at every turn. He sees streets on which are pretty, comfortable looking dwellings deformed by ugly, open drains on which is a slime-covered liquid, and from which come twenty-four hours in the day, health-destroying exhalations. A glimpse at some of the back premises reveals more abominations. What is the good of pretending to be ignorant of these things, which are so disagreeably conspicuous, and which are so productive of evil consequences to all classes of the citizens? It is, perhaps, luckily, impossible to hide these unpleasant features of our lovely city. They mar its beauty and they destroy its reputation. They need not exist, and would not exist if we had an energetic and intelligent city government well backed up by the best class of citizens.

Any steps the corporation can take to put the city in a good sanitary condition without having it well drained would, we admit, be little better than washing the outside of the cup and the platter, while the more important inside remained unclean. But is it not well to have the outside of the cup clean? It ought to be clean under any circumstances, and if it cannot just now be cleansed inside as well as outside, there is no harm in having the outside, at any rate, as clean as it can be made. It must not be forgotten that it now remains with the citizens whether the city is drained in the near future or not. The corporation have done their best. They might have done better, perhaps. That remains to be seen, but at any rate it has been done and it is for the ratepayers to sanction their act. If they do not confirm the sewerage by-law, on them will rest the responsibility of the sickness and the deaths that will be caused by allowing the city to remain undrained. There is no use in being blind to the truth. It has been demonstrated over and over again that draining a city decreases the death rate and preserves the public health. Consequently neglect of drainage is the cause of disease and death.

Some may object that the system selected by the city council is not a perfect one or not so effective as some other plan that had been submitted to it. But the answer to this is, almost any system of drainage is better than none at all; and as the system adopted by the council has been approved by skilled sanitarians it is certain to be a fairly good one, if it is not the best possible. In the name of humanity, then, let it be adopted. If the citizens wish to preserve the fair fame of their city and to make it fairer, let them heartily second the efforts of the corporation to have it drained.

AN UNRELIABLE AUTHORITY.

The Toronto Globe gives the Vancouver News-Advertiser as its authority for the assertion that the mine owners at Wellington "are not willing to allow the men working in their mines to belong to trades' unions, and that this is really the question between them." The Globe, it appears, has yet to learn that the word of the News-Advertiser on any matter in which it is in any way interested is not to be depended upon. It does not hesitate, when it suits its purpose, to misstate facts and to misrepresent opinions and arguments. The owners of the Wellington mine do not ask their men whether they belong to the union or not. All that they want to know is whether a miner can do his work or not, and whether he is industrious and reliable. They do not interfere with his liberty of action in any way. Whether he is a union man is nothing to them. The News-Advertiser has no excuse for misrepresenting the mine owners in this matter, for it, no doubt, saw the interview which the Victoria Times reporter had with the Manager of the Wellington mine, Mr. Bryden. To the question:

"Could not a pit committee settle many differences?" Mr. Bryden replied:—

"If we recognized them they would soon go so far as to dictate as to who should and who should not be employed in the mines. This is objected to by us, as we will not allow others to dictate as to who should run the mines. There are many of the miners who also object to pit committees. I had much rather deal direct with the complainant in cases of difficulty and the power will not be delegated to a pit committee. If any manager did so I should say he was not a fit manager for a mine, and did not work in the interests of the mine owners."

"Would you refuse employment to a society man if he was a good workmen?"

"No, so long as no interference was made with the works, we should have no objection to union men. If the society is one to aid the men and for their mutual benefit we would be ready to assist it. A strong objection would be made to union men who tried to coerce non-union men to join them."

The editor of the News-Advertiser it is presumed understands the English language, and any one who read and understood Mr. Bryden's replies to the questions of the Times' reporter has no excuse for saying that the manager of the Wellington mine is not willing to allow the men whom he employs to become members of labor organizations. The attitude of the mine owners to the union is pretty clearly defined in the answers we have quoted. Union men were employed in the mines and were not interfered with in any way, but the manager would not consent to permit union men to have a share in the management of the mine. This is what the miners who asked for a grievance committee wanted, and this is what the mine owners did not see their way to concede.

DANCING.

An English Bishop has come out in favor of dancing. Regardless of the frowns and the sighs and the groans of the rigidly righteous, this Bishop of the Anglican Church openly and boldly advocates dancing at the social gatherings of young people. It was at a meeting of a Girls' Friendly Society that he spoke in favor of dancing as a recreation. It appears that His Lordship had made up his mind to make a virtue of necessity. He finds that the young people will dance and he frankly confesses that it does not, in his opinion, pay to fight against dancing. He said, moreover, that it is natural to dance. The young children, he argued, dance without being taught, spontaneously, as it were, and the children of larger growth he might have added, take as naturally to dancing as a duck does to water. He said that the experiment had been tried in some of the English parishes and that the results were encouraging. The Bishop, of course, had reference to the boys and girls of the working class, for whom it was necessary to find some recreation which they can really enjoy. The young people of the wealthy class find it for themselves, and the good Bishop thought that it was really too bad that the rich should have all the fun to themselves. He, for his part, could not see that if balls and dances are right for two or three orders of society it is wrong for other orders. We know that dancing is, with many serious people, a very delicate question, and we are somewhat surprised that the Bishop of Chester had the courage to recommend it for the young men and women whom the clergy and the ladies take under their special care. He will be no doubt unsparingly condemned by many good people of various denominations, but would it not be well to think a little before consigning him to a place among the worldly and the wicked. Human nature is very strong in the young man and it is good to see them light hearted and innocently gay. They are young again. Is it not better cannot be allowed a pleasure which youth in all countries and in all ages delights in? Cannot this concession be safely made to the weakness and the foolishness, if you like, of youth? And is it not better that they should practice dancing openly and freely than that they should learn it furtively and practice it by stealth, or that their hearts should be filled with bitterness and discontent because they are not allowed a pleasure which many of their friends and acquaintances are permitted to enjoy?

AMERICAN PARASITES.

The United States Government has no longer more money than it knows what to do with. The prospect is that it will have, before very long, to find the ways and means to meet a heavy deficit. A horde of tax-eaters has arisen in the United States almost as suddenly as Roderick Dhu's Highlanders on the hillside. They are not warriors, grim and stern, equipped for battle, but warriors who are lame, and halt and blind, and sick and infirm, with their aunts and sisters and cousins and other relations. They are, in short, the noble army of pensioners. Every one who can by any possibility trump up a claim for services done by himself or herself or any able-bodied relative puts in a claim for a pension, and it would appear that very few, indeed, of these claims are rejected. The sum appropriated for pensions has been every year increasing, until this year it has reached the enormous sum of $100,000,000. But this is not all. A Dependent Pensions Act was recently passed which will add thirty or forty millions more to this sum. The pensioners, it is said, do not get the whole of this money. The generous souls who make it their business to see that all who have claims on the bounty and the gratitude of the republic get their due must be paid. It cannot be expected that they should work for nothing. Those who know how they do their work and what they get for it, declare that fully one-quarter of the money granted by Congress as pensions finds its way into the pockets of the pension agents. It follows, as a matter of course, that some of these agents are getting rich. One of them, who, by the way, is an editor—the man who runs the organ of the pensioners, the National Tribune—gets, it is stated, two thousand dollars a day in fees, and yet he is not satisfied. He wants more clients, which means an addition to the host which is picking Uncle Sam's pockets. This is how he encourages the needy and the greedy to make new raids on the United States Treasury:

"Comrades, a long, long step has been taken in the right direction. Let us now gird up our loins for a vigorous battle for the remainder of our rights—the passage of the Prisoners of War Bill, the repeal of the Limitation to Arrears, the Equalization of Bounties, and the National Tribune per diem Service Pension Bill."

If these raids are successful the modest editor's fees will be increased to, perhaps, four thousand dollars a day, and the bill which Uncle Sam will have to pay will foot up some $2,000,000,000, or about twice the present debt of the United States. This man must be first cousin to the notorious Corporal Tanner, who was driven from office because he dipped his hands too deeply into the public money box.

The politicians are of course coming in for a share of this plunder. The getting up of claims has become not only a business but it is beginning to take its place as one of the fine arts. The ingenuity of the most ingenious is strained to find out the exact relation which the claimant bears to the man who fought and bled and suffered for his country. This is frequently done by coarse and clumsy perjury, but the high professors of the art scorn to resort to such rough, and it may be dangerous, means of robbing the government. Their methods are more refined and more subtle. One of them says in a circular:

"Soldiers who have been wounded, injured, or have contracted any disease, however slight the disability, should apply at once. The disability need not have been incurred in the service."

Here a very wide field is open to the class which appears to be as numerous in the United States as anywhere else, who want to get money without working for it. The ladies are not neglected by these indefatigable pension agents. The female relations of soldiers are entitled to pensions, particularly their widows, so one of the agents who makes a specialty of widows addresses widows, actual and possible, in this strain:—

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Long Evenings.

The days are gradually shortening and the lamps are coming more and more into use. Some very nice lines of hanging lamps have arrived and will soon be opened up by mclennan and mcfeely, 70 yates street.

The Island Mountain Mine.

Mr. P. C. Dunlevy yesterday received a telegram from the manager of the Island Mountain mine, at Barkerville, which stated that the mill had started crushing and that the prospects looked favorable. Mr. May says the plates look well.

Gun Accident.

News of the first gunning accident of the season comes from Gabriola Island, where a young man named Thomas Rowbottom in attempting to drag a gun out of a boat, with the muzzle towards him, exploded the weapon, and the charge entered his right arm, shattering it badly. The injured man was brought to Nanaimo by a companion as soon as possible, where his arm was attended to.

Dramatic Entertainment.

The Amateur Dramatic company of H. M.S. Nymphe will give a dramatic and variety entertainment at Philharmonic hall on the evenings of Monday and Thursday, Sept. 1st and 4th, in aid of the Seamen's and Marines' Orphan Home at Portsmouth, Eng. The amateurs will be assisted by the magnificent band of H. M.S. Warspite, and a pleasant evening is promised, as the Nymph's amateurs have quite a reputation for their entertainments.

Saved His Life.

Last night a small boy, who had climbed a neighbor's apple tree for the purpose of supplying his friends with the fruit, missed his hold and fell a distance of over sixty feet. Luckily he was wearing a pair of Russell, McDonald & Co.'s $1.25 corduroy pants, which caught in a lower limb and held him fast, thus saving his life. Every boy should be supplied with a pair of these pants at this season of the year, as they can be depended on not to rip or go on at a tear.

The Late Mrs. Jeffery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jeffery, which took place yesterday afternoon, was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. The cortege formed at the deceased's late residence, and proceeded to the Pandora Street Methodist church, where the burial service was read by the Rev. Coverdale Watson. Thence the funeral procession moved to the place of interment. The pallbearers were Messrs. Field, Bullen, F. Carne, F. Campbell and J. Kinsman.

Entangled in a Chair.

It is not often that a man becomes so attached to a chair that he breaks his leg in trying to rise from his seat. Such was the case yesterday with W. J. Herring, a porter at the Oriental. He was sitting on a chair and had his feet between the rungs. When he tried to get out he couldn't, and in the effort he fell over and broke his leg near the ankle. Dr. Helmcken attended immediately to the broken limb, and the man was taken to the Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon.

The Late Harry H. Wootton.

The remains of the late Harry Homewood Wootton were conveyed to their last resting place in Ross Bay cemetery, yesterday afternoon, many friends of the deceased young gentleman and of the afflicted family being in attendance. Rev. Arthur Beanlands read the burial service. The pallbearers were: C. J. Leggatt, R. F. Tolmie, M. Phipps, Geo. Jay, jr., C. Hayward, jr., George Harvey, W. B. Charles and A. Anderson. The deceased had an insurance of $7,000 on his life.

Committed for Trial.

The preliminary examination of Mrs. Routledge was held on Monday before Mr. Edwin Johnson, S.M., at Duncan's. Several witnesses were called for the prosecution. The defence reserved all cross-examination and defence. The prisoner was then committed to take her trial for murder. Attorney-General Davie appeared for the prosecution; Mr. S. Perry Mills for the defence. It is understood the venue will be changed from Nanaimo to Victoria, so that the trial will take place in this city.

The Knights' Parade.

On Thursday next there will be a parade of the local division of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, the occasion of the turnout being the celebration of the anniversary of the organization of the Rank by the Supreme Lodge. As the parade is ordered by the constitution, the Sir Knights are obliged to attend and a good showing may be expected, as they have been improving greatly in their drilling during the summer. After the march the Sir Knights will sit down to a repast at Steitz's restaurant, when a few pleasant hours will be spent.

A Morning Meeting.

While a buggy belonging to Mr. H. Hume was standing on the corner of Douglas and Fort streets yesterday morning, Mr. Ed. Metcalfe's carriage came dashing unexpectedly round, and there was an instantaneous mixture of horses, buggies and men. Unlike most accidents of this kind, no one escaped unhurt; on the contrary, both men were somewhat shaken up. Mr. Metcalfe's face and head were cut and bruised, and Mr. Hume was somewhat crushed in the meeting. Dr. Milne patched up the broken parts and did all he could to make the "spilt men" feel that nothing had occurred.

Trans-Pacific Steamers.

There will be marked changes in the trans-Pacific situation next spring. The present steamers of the Canadian Pacific Steamship company will be supplanted by the magnificent new fast steamers of the company, which will then be in first-class trim. The Pacific Mail, however, will next year have a line of new American-built steamers running. They have determined on and will be as fine, but not quite as large, as the Canadian steamers. Should the tonnage bill now before the U. S. Congress become law, the Occidental and Oriental company will also build new and fine steamers and return its present charter steamers to their English owners.

City Police Court.

The two young fellows, Anderson and Lawson, were the only delinquents appearing before the police magistrate yesterday. Neither side was ready to proceed with the case, and Chief Shephard asked for a postponement. No evidence of any kind was called, but on the prisoners asking whether bail would not be taken, the chief vouchsafed a little information as to Anderson's history. The sheriff of Ellensburgh, Wash., is expected daily with the necessary documents authorizing him to take Mr. Anderson away from Victoria to a place where he is quite as well known. The amount which the two are charged with stealing is about $45, but the accusation laid is burglary.

The Charleston.

The U. S. cruiser Charleston is still at Seattle, and the papers of that city devote columns daily to descriptions of the ship, interviews with her officers and crew, and speculation as to the object of her visit to Puget Sound. The officers have been banquetted and treated to an excursion to Lake Washington. On Sunday between 5,000 and 6,000 people visited the vessel which is the pride of the American navy.

Newest Designs.

One of the prettiest and most attractive show windows on Government street just now is that of Pennock & Clayton, the well-known jewellers, and no one should miss taking a look at the beautiful articles of silverware displayed therein. A conspicuous article is a magnificent water pitcher of embossed and oxidized silver, gilt finished, resting upon an elaborate stand, which also supports the goblet and bowl of similar design. An epergne of gold, silver, and cut glass is also shown in the same window, the dishes being held in bands of gold upon which is an elaborate design of flowers and butterflies. Pennock & Clayton are busy opening a large consignment of new goods, some of which are superb. 3t

NO. 3 PIT ON FIRE.

The Fan Broken and the Mine on Fire.

Word was received here yesterday morning that No. 3 Pit, Wellington collieries, had fired, and that during the night the fan which furnishes air to the pit, had become disabled. There were only two men in the mine at the time, and they got out safely. It is not yet ascertained in what manner the fan was broken or the mine fired. The water will be permitted to rise in the mine in order to extinguish the fire.

PERSONAL.

J. M. O'Brien returned to Vancouver this morning.

J. H. Todd and wife arrived down by the Islander last evening.

J. M. Bowell, collector of customs, Vancouver, is at the Driard.

Mrs. Capt. O'Brien was a passenger by the Islander last evening.

Major-General Johnstone and Sir James Russell, of England, are at the Driard.

Sergt. Langley, P. H. Donovan and J. W. Carey returned from Seattle yesterday.

C. H. Speers, assistant general passenger agent Atlantic & Pacific railroad, San Francisco, is at the Driard.

Rev. Francis Murray and Rev. Frederick Murray were passengers inward by the North Pacific last evening.

B. F. Schwartz, first president of the National bank at Port Angeles, is in Victoria. He is accompanied by Mrs. Schwartz.

H. J. Young, traveling freight and passenger agent, Atlantic & Pacific railroad, San Francisco, is a guest at the Driard.

Duncan McIntyre, a director of the Canadian Pacific railway, and one of Montreal's chief capitalists, is on his way westward.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannan, of the Hotel Langlan, New York, are on a trip westward, and while in Victoria are guests at the Driard.

Wm. White, Q.C., of Moosomin, N.W.T., is in the city, accompanied by Mr. Caul, of Lethbridge, and are guests at the Union club.

G. G. Barnett and wife, of San Francisco; A. Harris, of Montreal; J. S. Lynch and A. M. Yuill, Winnipeg; G. K. Warnock and wife, of Toronto, and F. L. Dame, of Portland, are at the Driard.

Among the visitors at the Clarence are John Henry, sugar manufacturer, Scotland; John B. Karslake and G. B. McGregor, of England, with Rev. J. C. Kennan, of Denver, Col.

Donald McKay, M.P.P., of Prince Edward Island, was here last night on his way to San Francisco. He is doing the Pacific coast, and is delighted with British Columbia, and will carry a good report of it to the east.

Edward Phillips, of Minnow Point, Wisconsin, nephew of Messrs. W. H. and Thomas Ladner, is in town, having had an extended trip in California, Oregon and the Western States.

A number of delegates of the Provincial University convocation are at the Oriental; also Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Chicago; D. Hoggan, of Nanaimo; and Mrs. Cooley and daughter, of Seattle.

Among the arrivals from the Sound last evening was John W. Fox, Astoria, Oregon, but formerly of this city. Mr. Fox has just been elected to the legislature by a very large majority.

Mr. J. C. Haynes left for Devonshire, England, last night, accompanied by three of her children, who will be placed in school in the old country. Before returning to Victoria Mrs. Haynes will visit Paris, and other European capitals.

H. Pittock, owner of the Portland, Oregonian, spent yesterday in the city, accompanied by his wife. They left for the south by the Kingston last evening with their little daughter, who has been visiting at her uncle's, W. Pittock, Menzies street.

Wm. Whyte, general superintendent of the western division of the C.P.R., with headquarters at Winnipeg, accompanied by the Misses Whyte, arrived down on the Islander last night and is at the Driard. Dr. Lynch, Winnipeg's leading physician, was also of the party. They came to Vancouver in Mr. Whyte's private car. The party will spend to-day in Victoria, and will start east again on Thursday morning.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 10; Pitsburg, 3.
At Phila.—Cleveland, 5; Phila, 9.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati, 0; Brooklyn, 3.
At New York—New York, 2; Chicago, 4.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 4; Chicago, 1.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 17; Buffalo, 3.
At New York—New York, 11; Pittsburg, 1.
At Phila.—Phila., 15; Cleveland, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Rochester—Rochester, 11; Athletic, 11.

CRICKET.

The return match between Nanaimo and Vancouver was played last Saturday at Nanaimo, the visiting team being victorious. Nanaimo won the toss and went in to bat first, but only succeeded in putting together 44 runs for their first innings. The Vancouver team was more successful and made 71 runs in their first. Nanaimo again went to the bat and only improved on their first innings by two runs, having made 46 runs. This left the Vancouver team an easy victory, for on putting together the required 20 runs they had still eight wickets to fall.

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A MUSICAL EVENING

Of Rare Excellence at The Victoria—An Exceptionally Brilliant Concert.

It is difficult, very difficult, to get together for a concert an audience that will be at once fashionable, appreciative and critical, but the feat was accomplished last evening at The Victoria. It is not often that such an audience is collected in Victoria. The cosy theatre was splendidly adorned by fashion and beauty, who were assembled to listen to a concert in aid of the Jubilee hospital. The programme showed considerable taste and judgment on the part of the compilers. It was not too long, the numbers were carefully and well selected. The stage was prettily arranged, drawing-room style, thereby displaying the tastefulness of some clever feminine hands. The first number on the programme was a selection, "Dorothy," by the Warspite band. It was a correctly rendered piece, but the band had to wait for its second piece to really capture the audience. If there is any ability or appreciation of music in a band or orchestra, Verdi's "Il Trovatore" will bring out those qualities. The Warspite band didn't lose the opportunity so afforded, and they were rewarded by that genuine applause which is the sincerest sign of appreciation.

Miss Sophie Chambers, the prima donna of the evening, sang a duet, from Pinsuti, with Mr. T. S. Gore, which paved the way to higher honors later in the evening. Her aria from Vaccaj's Giuletta E. Romeo, was a musical gem, although she thoroughly won her audience's warmest sympathies when she sang in her native tongue, giving the thoughts all the power and expression which the music demanded. Miss Chambers has a voice of wonderful compass, but which is peculiarly, yet sweetly, flexible. It is sweet always, never harsh, and interpets the feeling and soul of the music as well as what may be termed its mechanical accuracy. If Miss Chambers is now only on the threshold of her musical life, she has a brilliant future before her as long as due care is taken in the early portion of that career. She was several times recalled, and was twice presented with handsome floral tributes.

Miss Holmes contributed a piano solo from Chopin. It was an interesting piece, but too light for the large place in which it was played. Her second number was markedly more appropriate, and, in addition to fully proving her pianistic taste and expression, served to bring out the sterling qualities of the instrument on which she performed. It responded with the utmost readiness and fully substantiated everything said of the Goodwin baby grand piano said in yesterday's issue.

Mr. W. R. Higgins had the honor of securing the first recall for his tastefully rendered "Best of All," (F. Mair), and he was followed by Miss Beeton and Mrs. Fellows in a humorous character sketch.

Miss Helen Mouatt sang Bennett's "May Dew" very sympathetically, which was redemanded.

Mr. Gore sang very appreciatively "Anticipation" which secured a warm demand for an encore.

Mrs. W. R. Higgins accompanied the vocalists during the evening, both skilfully and tastefully.

Altogether the event was an unqualified success financially and musically, resulting in unquestionable credit to the promoters, Mr. W. R. Higgins and Mr. F. S. Gore, who worked unceasingly and indefatigably to attain the highest round of success. The result has more than exceeded their most sanguine expectations.

Thanks were also due Mr. Goodwin for his kindness in lending the solo grand piano and a handsome upright, (both splendid 7¼ octave instruments), for the occasion.

CAPITAL NOTES.

"Gatling Gun" Howard Makes a Statement Regarding the Bremner Furs—The Premier's Return to the Capital.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 26.—The Premier returns to Ottawa next week, when regular council meetings will be resumed.

"Gatling Gun" Howard acknowledges finding the furs at Batoche. After retaining some, he handed over a large quantity to Gen. Middleton, of which no account has been given.

THE WARSHIP CHARLESTON

Will Probably be Ordered to Return to Honolulu as Soon as She Can Re-Coal.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—The state department is in apparent ignorance of the threatened revolution in Hawaii. Assistant Secretary Whartou said this morning that the department had received absolutely no information foreshadowing trouble on the island. The navy department is in the same condition, nothing official having been heard. Assistant Secretary Saley said that the department had sent its orders to Admiral Brown to come east with the Charleston on July 15, in the belief that she would not be needed there any longer. It took the orders two weeks to reach the Admiral, who started in obedience almost at once, and reached this coast before the letter from him to the department could get here. He will probably be ordered to return as soon as he can re-coal.

A NEW DISEASE IN ALASKA.

It Attacks Salmon Fishers and Poisons Their Blood.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Among the arrivals from Alaska recently is a fisherman who has been employed for some months at Bristol bay. A number of canneries are located along the river and about 200 fishermen are engaged in salmon fishing there. The fish are caught in large nets, from which they are removed by hand. Lately, after this work many men have been attacked in the hand and arm by blood poisoning. The hand and arm increased to a horrible size and took on a leaden hue. Then the swelling commenced to subside, when running sores broke through the skin and in effect the arm was more than half-paralyzed. The swelling was accompanied by dull pains in the head with falling away of strength and complete exhaustion. The sufferers multiplied rapidly until nearly one half of the fishermen were down. No deaths resulted to the knowledge of the narrator, but no complete cures were effected. When the swelling subsided, the sores continued in a more or less active state.

The trouble created a panic among the fishers and they commenced to forsake their work. There was no doctor nearer than Ounalaska, and bandages and poultices helped little to ease the pains of the sufferers. The case is a novel one in medical science. In handling salmon it very often happens that the hard sharp fins and scales slightly puncture the skin. It has never been known before, however, that blood poisoning of the strange kind described has resulted.

Dennison's French tissue paper for flower making at Daley's.

LIFE'S SHADOWS ARE PAST

For Hon. Thomas Basil Humphreys, Whose Death Occurred Yesterday.

Flags flying at half-mast in the bright sunshine yesterday told of the presence of death. Indeed Death has been very busy, these last few days in Victoria, but although each one removed is a loss felt in the community, the absence of one is particularly noticeable. The Hon. Thomas Basil Humphreys has been a prominent figure in British Columbia history for over thirty years. Few public events have occurred in which he has not taken a leading part. He came originally from Liverpool, Eng., where he was born in 1840. Early in life he became a midshipman in the India service, then at its zenith. An interesting incident in the life of the late Mr. Humphreys may be mentioned. As a cadet in the Hon. East India company's service he was, then a boy, designated to receive, on behalf of Her Majesty, the celebrated Kohi-i-noor (Mountain of Light) diamond. The jewel was at that time, 1849, supposed not to have been seen by any Christian eye, although it had been shown to Tavernier, the French traveller, in 1665; it was afterwards, in 1850, presented to the Queen. Mr. Humphreys had to receive the, from Indian view, sacred diamond, on bended knee, in the court of Dhuleep Singh, the Lion of the Punjab.

He some years afterwards came to California where he mined for sometime with varying success till in 1858 he moved into British Columbia with a party of others. July 26, 1858, marked his entry here, Lillooet was chosen as the new field of labor and here he engaged in quartz and placer mining. He made a good deal of money, but like all miners he valued his riches lightly and they went easily. Incidents of his personal courage are by no means few or far between. The troublous times during which he was Crown constable had no terrors for him. The country was infested with bandits and outlaws from California to such an extent that one's life was not safe for a moment. Miners were shot at as though they were but game, and murders and robberies were occurrences of many times daily. Still Mr. Humphreys became the terror of the country and made his name feared among the robbers. He never flinched, and he was as quick and sure with the pistol as the cleverest among the thieves. His life was in constant danger, but it was either charmed, or else he was too clever for those seeking it. On one occasion he was barricaded in a cabin and was besieged by eight ruffians who fired freely at him, but he coolly and judiciously returned the fire and finally secured two of the gang, and, single-handed, brought them down to Victoria to be tried and punished. For this he earned the special and publicly expressed thanks of the court, Sir Matthew (then Mr.) Begbie saying that Mr. Humphreys had done a highly commendable act. This and many other instances are still fresh in the memory of old-timers, who can tell to-day how, by persistent energy and dogged determination, Mr. Humphreys weeded out the nest of thieves and murderers that infested this Province in the early days.

A natural born politician, he soon drifted into public life, where he had not long to wait for success to come to his net. He was naturally magnetic and possessed that other golden key of the political treasure chest, a pleasing presence and impressive, winning voice. Lillooet elected him as its member in 1868, when officialism and beaureaucracy reigned supreme. The bluntness of the live young member brought him trouble, he being on one occasion suspended. Popular favor was with him and, on petition to Her Majesty, he was reinstated with honor.

Mr. Humphreys was a member of the House from 1868 to 1871, or until confederation, at which time he was a member of the Executive Council, which conferred upon him the title of "honorable" for life. In the first parliament after confederation, Mr. Humphreys was again a candidate for Lillooet, and was elected. During the term from 1872 to 1875 his colleague, Mr. A. T. Jamieson, died, and was succeeded by Mr. Wm. Saul. Messrs. Humphreys and Saul disagreeing on some local question, they mutually agreed to resign and submit the dispute to the electors. Mr. Saul was not returned. At the general election of 1875 Mr. Humphreys and the late Dr. Tolmie were elected for Victoria district, and from February to July of the following year Mr. Humphreys was Minister of Finance in the Elliott government. Subsequently, in 1878, the House was dissolved on account of a dead-lock, and Mr. Humphreys was re-elected for Victoria district, his colleague being Mr. J. T. McIlmoyl. The Elliott Government, however was defeated, and Mr. (now Hon. Justice) Walkem, was called upon to form a ministry. Mr. Humphreys joined the Walkem Government as Provincial Secretary which position he held until August, 1882, when, at the general election of that year he was defeated. A vacancy occurring in the representation of Yale, by the death of Mr. Bennett, (1882), Mr. Humphreys became a candidate in that district, being opposed and defeated by Mr. Martin. He was again defeated in 1886 in Victoria District, and was an unsuccessful candidate at the general election for the House of Commons in 1887. In August of that year Mr. J. H. Turner having accepted the portfolio of finance, Mr. Humphreys contested the seat with him but was again defeated. For the third time in the same year Mr. Humphreys was a candidate, this time for the local house, and for Comox, where a vacancy had been caused by the resignation of Mr. A. M. Stenhouse. Here he was successful, defeating Mr. Dingwall, a former member. Mr. Humphreys sat for Comox until the dissolution in 1890.

For the past two years his health has been failing, limiting his ability for public life, and in the last session preventing his attendance at parliament altogether. Death was expected, but when it comes it is always a severe blow. It was so in this case; nothing can be said that is not worthy of him. Generous, whole hearted and sympathetic; a friend, publicly and privately, who could always be relied upon; honest, perhaps, too honest in his own interest, Thomas Basil Humphreys will ever retain a firm hold in the affection and memory of the public of British Columbia.

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LITTLE LOCALS.

Razors in cases, ladies companions, a new line of pocket cutlery and shaving materials, just arrived, at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

A Quebec dispatch says a quarantine station is to be established at Vancouver.

Fruit jars, jelly jars, and jelly presses, for sale at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street. *

Unique music cabinets, ladies' secretaries, tea tables, shaving stands, etc., at John Weiler's. *

A bush fire broke out on Macauley's Point yesterday and filled the harbor with smoke.

Tea and Dinner Sets, Chamber Sets, and other goods just opened at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas Street. *

Reference to another column will show that Prof. Granat has opened his violin classes, for which he has secured an encouraging large number of pupils.

Artistic novelties in bamboo furniture, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

John Johnson, a Swede, who has just completed a term in the B. C. penitentiary, after three days liberty, got arrested at Vancouver for theft.

Do not mop the floor with your better half when you can buy a self-wringing mop at R. A. BROWN & Co.'s, Douglas Street. *

O. P. Butler, agent of the Georgia minstrels, was sand-bagged at Olympia, while going to his hotel, and robbed of all the loose change he had, amounting to $60.

Another carload of stoves at Geo. Powell & Co.s, Cheapside.

A special session of the legislature of the State of Washington has been called by Governor Ferry to be held at Olympia on the 3rd of September, for the purpose of redistributing senatorial districts.

Some very fine antique oak bedroom suites' sideboards, etc., at John Weiler's. *

Chilean bark Octavo, Captain Esnie, which arrived at Port Townsend Monday evening from Iquique, collided with the Oakland during a heavy fog in the Straits Monday morning. The Oakland's rigging was carried off, the Chilean being uninjured.

The C. P. R. are selling excursion tickets to Banff and return at $30. These tickets are limited to 60 days and allow passengers the privilege of stopping off at Harrison Hot Springs, Glacier and Field. A. Cameron, agent

Mr. Robbins, of Spring Ridge, sent in some huge blackberries yesterday, which reminded one of the blackberrying days of long ago. The only difference noticeable was that Mr. Robbins' blackberries are much larger than the usual berry.

James Brady, mining engineer, will visit East and West Kootenay, including Illecillewaet, the mining camps on the Upper Columbia river and lakes, also Nelson, Hot Springs and other camps on Kootenay Lake, about the end of this month. Parties requiring reports on mineral or other properties in the above districts, ring up or call at 45 Government Street, Victoria, B. B. au 17-1w

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FIRST CONVOCATION.

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Rev. D. Fraser thought there seemed to be a misapprehension that the appointment of a committee was designed simply to relegate the matter into other hands. All the committee had to do would be to nominate three men, while the convocation could nominate a fourth or more, it being just as competent for members to offer their nominations as before. He had made his proposition because he believed it would save time, and possily his conviction would be justfied before the convocation were closed. He had no desire to divide the house and, with the consent of his seconder, would withdraw his proposition.

Bishop Sillitoe said that he did not know whether it was right to ask it, but for the information of convocation he would enquire from the chairman whether any members of convocation had already been nominated by the government. It was eminently desirable that anything like duplications or clashing should be avoided.

The chairman said the government had taken no steps in the direction of making nominations, feeling that their action should follow what was done here.

The following nominations were then offered, the motion of Bishop Sillitoe having been adopted :—

Bishop Sillitoe, New Westminster; Dr. Powell, Victoria; C. Whetham, Vancouver; J Stuart Yates, Bishop Cridge, Rev. Dr. Frazer, Dr. Milne, and Rev. P. McF. McLeod.

The chairman intimated that only members of convocation were eligible.

All the members nominated having withdrawn except Bishop Sillitoe, Dr. Powell, J. Stuart Yates, and C. Whetham, the convocation proceeded to ballot, Rev. Dr. Fraser and Dr. McGingan being appointed scrutineers.

Bishop Sillitoe inquired if the chairman was sure that the ballot box was empty.

The scrutineers having counted the ballot announced the results as follows: Dr. Powell, 58; Bishop Sillitoe, 50: Mr. Whethom, 45; Mr. Yates, 25. The three first named were declared elected.

The chairman remarked that this concluded the proceedings of what might be called the statutory meeting. It had occurred to several gentlemen, as well as to himself, that it would be a pity that this assembly should break up without meeting as a convocation and transacting some business. The assembly chamber wos at their disposal. He felt much gratified and encouraged with the manner in which the business had been transacted, and trusted that the same spirit, harmonious action and sympathy would continue. They had been engaged in one of the most important services ever transacted in the province. The importance of the work and the sense of individual responsibility had had their due weight in guiding their action. As presiding officer of this statutory meeting his functions were now at an end, and he would suggest the appointment of a chairman to preside until the chancellor and other officers had been appointed.

Rev. Mr. McLaren observed that it was exceedingly desirable that there should be some decision as to the lines of the amendments to be obtained at the next session of the legislature. There would be no meeting of convocation until the regular meeting in May. He would take the liberty of moving that Bishop Sillitoe be appointed to preside until a regular chairman was appointed.

The chairman returned his thanks for the manner in which the members of convocation had done their part. There had been extreme good order and feeling, and in retiring he sincerely wished the university every success. (Applause.)

Bishop Sillitoe, in assuming the chair, said that the first duty devolving upon the convocation was, without doubt, to make an immediate recognition of the Provincial Secretary's services in the chair. He did not think that the chairman should make propositions; but he had intended to make a motion, had Hon. Mr. Robson retained the chair a few moments longer.

Dr. Lawson moved a very hearty and cordial vote of thanks to Hon. Mr. Robson, provincial secretary, for the manner in which he had presided over this convocation. He knew that every one felt a sense of gratitude to the government for taking hold of the measure.

The motion was adopted on a unanimous rising vote, in presenting which Bishop Sillitoe made a few suitable remarks.

The convocation adjourned until three o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convocation reassembled in the afternoon at three o'clock, Bishop Sillitoe in the chair.

The chairman having inquired if Mr. Yates were present, he having been, as he understood, mainly responsible for the bill as it was presented to the House.

Mr. D. Wilson explained that he was unable to attend.

The chairman said that he proposed to suggest two or three points which, after carefully considering the act, he thought worthy of attention. One of these was the advisability of allowing the acceptance of proxies or ballots as was the practice in the English Universities where voting papers were issued to every member of the Senate who had simply to sign them, have his signature attested and then send them on. He deprecated this practice by those who could possibly attend, but thought the method was otherwise advantageous. Another point related to the constitution, powers and functions of the Senate, which under the bill was a mere name. The act, moreover, did not say how and when the Senate was to be elected. He believed a strong committee should be appointed to consider these and other matters, consisting of men who could easily attend meetings and prepare the reports.

Dr. Powell said that he regretted not having been here this morning, or he should probably have withdrawn his name from nomination. He was exceedingly gratified with the honor done him and should be wanting in his duty if he did not thank them for that honor. He had been told by a friend some time ago that he thought it had been premature to inaugurate this university, but, had he been present to-day, he was certain he would have been of a different opinion. He concluded by saying that he should endeavor to justify the confidence reposed in him by working to make the university a success and to carry out the bill.

Rev. D. Fraser said he had listened to some of the wild criticisms. He explained the difficulties that had been experienced in the preparation of the bill, and the care that was taken to make it as perfect as possible. They had taken communication of the acts incorporating other colleges, but the conditions were so very different, on which account they had not been able to get much help from outside sources. Moreover, the gentlemen who had undertaken to draft the bill had not been used to that kind of thing, while the Legislature, in passing the bill, had given them credit for knowing more about the subject than they really did. In consequence they did not alter the bill much; but it would have been much better if they had not touched it at all. He specially referred to the latter part of section 19 He did not think the present meeting could do much; it could only act in an advisory capacity. He saw no objection to the use of ballot papers as had been recommended. After reviewing the bill and pointing out why it contained certain provisions, and where these were susceptible of amendments, he observed that it were well that suggestions should be made from all quarters.

It was moved by C. Whetham, seconded by A. C. Brydone-Jack, "that a committee be appointed to examine the B. C. University Act and report at subsequent meetings of convocation."

Mr. Whetham took up the Act and discussed it at very great length, pointing out that it had been mainly taken from the Manitoba Act while its clauses were contradictory and many of them unworkable.

The motion having been adopted

It was moved by Mr. Schofield, seconded by Prof. Odlum, that Rev. Donald Fraser and Messrs. J. Wilson Yates and Dr. Powell, of Victoria, Messrs. C. Whetham and Lawson, of Vancouver, and Messrs. C. Morrison, Brydon Jack and the Bishop of New Westminster be and are hereby constituted a committee of this convocation for the purpose of revising the present University Act of British Columbia, with a view to further legislation on the subject matter of the act at the ensuing provincial legislature, said committee to report to convocation within two months from this date.

Dr. Langis moved that the next convocation be held in Vancouver on the second Tuesday of December.

There being no seconder the motion dropped.

Dr. Lawson moved, seconded by Mr. Morrison, that convocation proceed to the election of members of the Senate.

It was moved in amendment by Rev. D. Fraser, seconded by Dr. Powell, "that the election of members of Senate take place at the statutory meeting of convocation in May, and that the voting shall be by means of voting papers sent through the mail or handed in at the meeting."

After some discussion it was moved in amendment by Rev. E. D. McLaren, seconded by H. L. Stranberg, "that the election of the members of Senate, referred to in section 4, be postponed until the meeting of convocation, at which the committee on the revision of the act shall submit its report, and that said election shall take place by voting papers sent through the mail."

On motion of Rev. Mr. McLaren, seconded by Mr. Cowperthwait, it was resolved that the next meeting of convocation be held at Vancouver on a day to be fixed by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Rand, seconded by Dr. DeWolf Smith, it was resolved that the committee appointed to consider the University charter be a standing committee until the regular meeting of convocation in May.

FAMINE IN KANSAS.

Seeds Failed to Sprout in the Soil of the Desert—Farmers Must Beg For Help.

DENVER, Aug. 21.—The effect of the summer's drought in Eastern Colorado and Western Kansas begins to look gloomy. The cool weather of the past few days causes settlers in the dry districts to wonder where their supplies are to come from, as a great many of them have only their claims, and not all of these proven up, so that they have nothing to sell and nothing to borrow upon. A committee reached Denver to-day from the eastern part of Arapahoe county, sent by settlers of that district in quest of aid, which no doubt will be generously furnished them, as Colorado as a whole has been blessed with unusually good crops, so that this state will be amply provided to take care of those who have not been so lucky in the eastern portion.

But Western Kansas, which comprises a much larger area, and where not even vegetables have grown the past year, will no doubt have to call upon the people of the East for assistance before the winter blasts are over. Already hundreds of families have gone to Colorado from Western Kansas, where they report that the corn, wheat and oats that have been planted in some districts were lost. There was not enough moisture in the ground to sprout it until the fall rains set in a week or two ago.

At Colorado Springs quite a number of families are living in tents. All seem to be thriving and in good health, having secured work since their arrival.

NO RELIEF FROM THE CHINESE.

The San Francisco Ordnance Removing Them From the City Declared Void.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—Judge Sawyer, in the United States circuit court, handed down his decision this morning in the case of Lee Sing, releasing the Chinaman from custody and making void the Bingham ordinance. Lee Sing was arrested for living in Chinatown when the ordinance declared all Chinese must remove from there. He was released from custody on a writ of habeas corpus, returnable before Judge Sawyer. The decision is very full and quotes from several authorities. The court holds that the ordinance conflicts with the constitution of the United States, and by the treaties with China Chinese are entitled to the same privileges as other foreigners.

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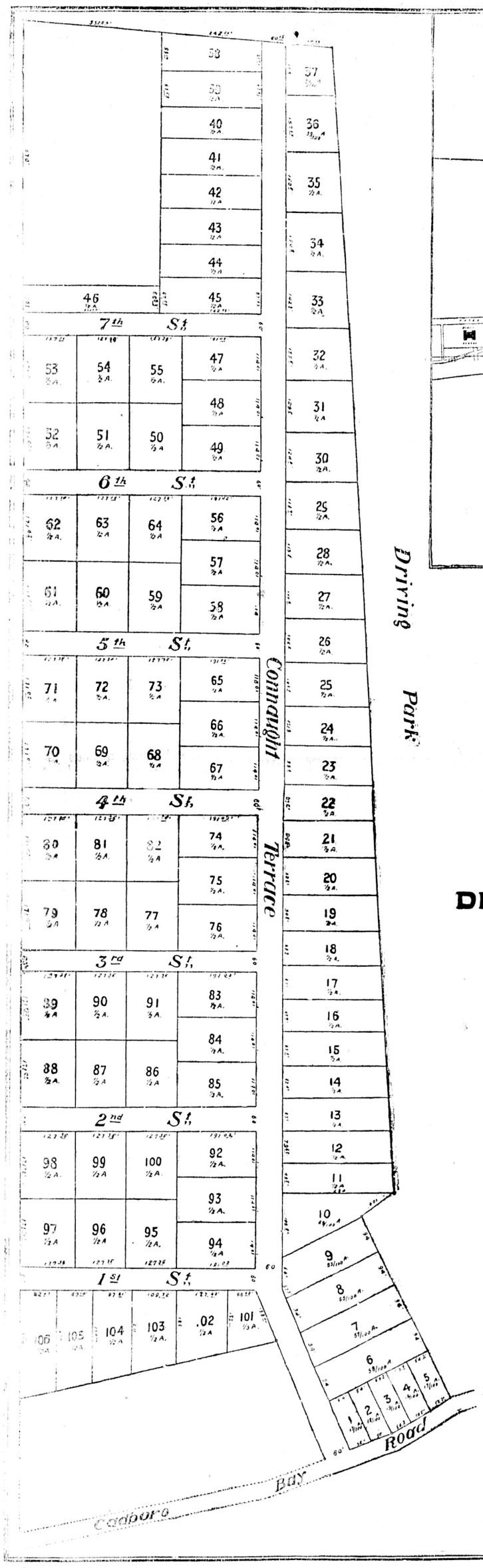

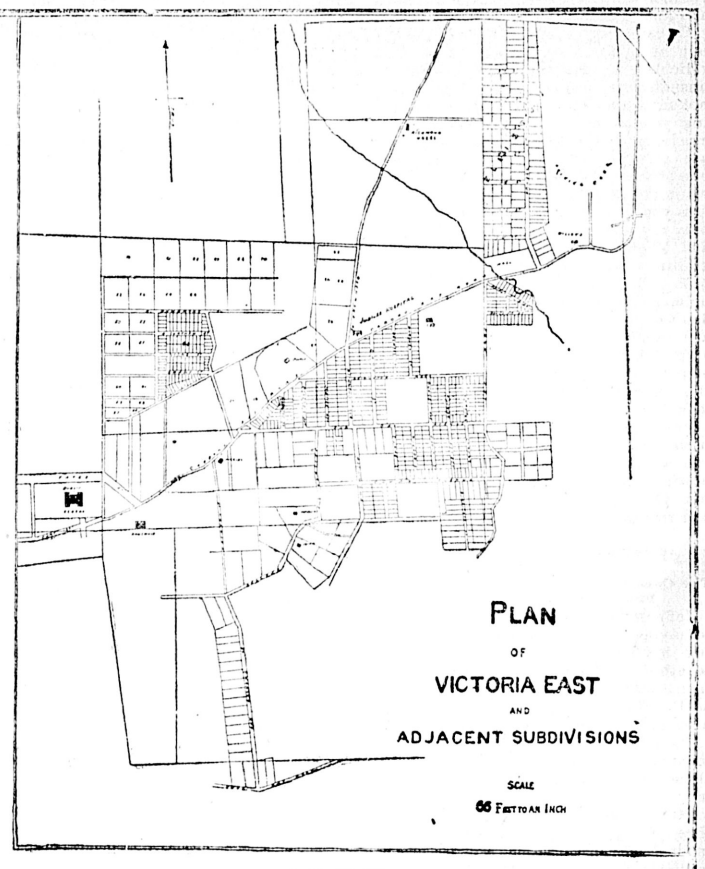

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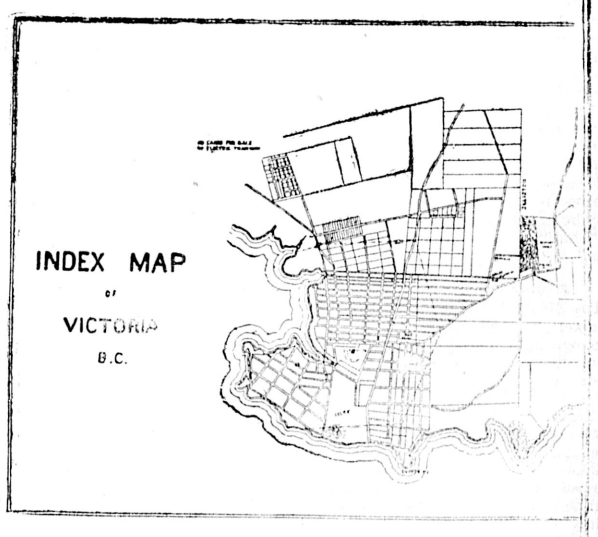

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FOR ENGAGED GIRLS.

A Wise Woman Tells Them How to Treat Their Future Husbands.

You have a little band around the third finger of your left hand in which is set a turquoise, says the Ladies' Home Journal, and when it was put there you remembered that the Hindu said: "He who hath a turquoise hath a friend." Now, that's what you have in the man you love best, and whose wife you are going to become--a friend. He is your sweetheart, your lover, it is true, but because to you his heart seems best worth having, his love the richest gift you can possess, you will not vulgarize, as many girls do, the tie that binds. It is true you go with him alone to hear some wonderful music, or look at some fine pictures, but I hope it is not true that when you are at a party, or in your own home, you two pair off and make yourselves the objects for silly chatter and idiotic jesting.

He can love you with his whole heart, but he must not make you subject to ridicule. He can think you the most unselfish girl in the world, but he must not show his own selfishness by expecting you to devote your evenings exclusively to him, ignoring those who are at home. Let him come in and be one of them—there's a dear five minutes when he can speak to you, when he can kiss you on the lips that he knows are only the gates to sweet, pure speech, and when he can whisper the lovely nothings that mean so much to you both. Then, too, don't let him feel that he must give up all his friends for you; don't accept valuable presents from him, and don't assume an air of proprietorship with him. Tell him nothing about your family affairs, for the secrets of the household do not even belong to the man you are going to marry. Guard yourself in word and deed; hold his love in the best way possible; tie it firmly to you with the blue ribbon of hope, and never let it be eaten away by that little fox who destroys so many loving ties and who is called familiarity.

JEFFERSON ON HIMSELF.

The Curious Paper Discovered After the Famous Statesman's Death.

Jefferson was said to be quite averse to having his birthday celebrated during his lifetime, but he was not altogether undesirous of posthumous fame, but even in this he was modest, as the following curious paper found after his death will illustrate:

"Could the dead feel any interest in monuments or other remembrances of them the following words would be to me the most gratifying:

"On the grave a plain die or cube of three feet without any moldings, surmounted by an obelisk of six feet high, each of a single stone; on the face of the obelisk the following inscription and not a word more:

HERE WAS BURIED
THOMAS JEFFERSON,
AUTHOR OF THE DECLARATION OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE,
AUTHOR OF THE STATUTE OF VIRGINIA FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM,
AND
FATHER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

"Because of these, as testimonials that I have lived, I wish to be remembered. To be of coarse stone, of which my columns are made, that no one might be hereafter tempted to destroy it for the value of the materials. My bust by Caracchi, with the pedestal and truncated column on which it stands, might be given the university if they would place it in the dome of the rotunda.

"On the die of the obelisk might be engraved:

BORN APRIL 2, 1743, O. S.
DIED ——— ——— ———

HE GOT DAMAGES.

A Man Who Knew His Rights and Dared Maintain Them.

A contractor for a new building on Michigan avenue left the cellar unguarded at a certain spot, and a young man who was passing by on his way into a grocery tumbled in. A gash was cut in his scalp, two teeth loosened, his ear cut, and his coat was ripped up the back.

"Where's the boss of this job?" he demanded, as he got up.

"I'm the man," replied the individual named. "I'm very sorry this happened, and what—"

"Sorry, are you! Well, being sorry won't pay the damages! I want you to come down."

"I am sorry, as I said before, and am willing to do what is right. If you—"

"No beating around, now! I want cash damages."

"How much?"

"Well, I tell you what it is, a man who will set a trap of this kind for people ought to be made to sweat for it; and if you don't fork over two shillings, I'll law you clear to the Supreme Court and back again."

"Two shillings?" gasped the boss.

"Yes, two shillings, and not a red less."

It was handed to him quicker than greased lightning, and as he went his way he said to some of the bystanders:

"That's the way to get your rights—stand right up to folks!"

Phonographs in Post-Offices.

The Mexican Post-Office Department is about to adopt a novel device. A phonograph is to be placed in each principal office in the country for the accommodation of the numerous citizens who can not read or write. The illiterate Mexican will go to the post-office, talk his message into the receiver of the phonograph, and when the cylinder reaches its destination the person addressed will be sent for and the message will be repeated to him by another machine.

When You Are Dead

The prize of 40,000 francs offered by the French Academy for some certain test of death, looking to the prevention of being buried alive, was given to a physician who announces that on holding the hand of the supposed dead person to a strong light, if living a scarlet tinge is seen where the fingers touch, showing that the blood continues to circulet when the

CHOOSING A BUSINESS.

A Serious Question for All Young Men to Consider.

"The question of choosing a business is a serious one. As a rule, a young man should adopt the calling for which he has a preference. If he has no particular choice, it would be well for him to try different occupations, until he finds one that suits him. I do not counsel changing about to gratify a spirit of uneasiness, for once a young man is installed in the business that he is suited to, he ought to stick to it," writes Russell Sage to the New York Herald. "I have known young men who entered employments reluctantly and, after a trial, became fond of them. A young man must be determined to succeed. After all, there is one great lever, and that is will-power. Without it very few men succeed.

"It depends on the circumstances whether failures betray incapacity in a man. If a failure is due to a cause not general, then it may be attributed to a lack of foresight and understanding. A shrewd merchant will not stock up with unsalable things; a shrewd farmer will not plant his ground to raise unsalable crops. Both the merchant and the farmer must find out what is most salable and act accordingly. There are exigencies, to be sure, like contagions, disasters, combinations, strikes and boycotts, that can not be foreseen. The prudent man of business has prepared himself to stand losses from such causes, and when the troubles have passed the fact of his having weathered them makes his financial position in the community stronger than ever. The present condition of the coal trade well illustrates the uncertainty of things. The mild, open winter could not be foreseen, and has caused great dulness and loss in the trade. Then there is the march of improvement. This is an age of competition, and it requires energy and perception to meet it. It used to take 90 days to find out the condition of the tea crop in Japan or the coffee crop in Brazil. Now an inquiry can be sent and an answer secured in a single day.

"The young man should start out in the world by the time he is 21. If he is qualified to begin life for himself at an earlier age he should do it. I began as a clerk when I was 12. At 18 I was in business for myself, and I have kept my sign up ever since. I should say that the average boy could take a clerkship at the age of 16 or 18. A wrong start need not mean a permanent failure. Many of the most successful men have started wrong and afterward righted themselves. There are many instances where men educated for the pulpit have gone to the bar and been conspicuous successes. Then, again, men educated for the bar have gone to the pulpit and achieved success."

WORKING THE TAILOR.

Original Scheme of a Philadelphia Swindler to Obtain a Suit of Clothes.

An ingenious swindle was recently worked successfully upon a Chestnut street druggist and a Chestnut street tailor, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The criminal was a young man of intelligent address, whose somewhat shabby clothes were brushed clean and his boots polished. Entering the pharmacy he informed the proprietor that the tailor, whose name he gave, was suffering with dyspepsia, and had requested that some medicine be sent to him. The druggist ordered a prescription, and while it was being compounded entered into a chat with the stranger, who paid for the bottle of medicine, and, before taking it away, asked the druggist to have another vial ready, and said that the tailor would call for it in a day or two. Then the swindler went to the tailor and ordered a suit of clothes, the price of which was fifty dollars. He wanted the garments made up in a hurry, and they were ready for him two days afterward. He put them on in the store and left his back-number suit to be sent to a fictitious address. "My friend," he said to the tailor (giving the name of the druggist) "has some money of mine, and if you will walk down there I will pay the bill." The tailor and the artful dodger reached the pharmacy. "I perceive that we are all acquainted," the swindler said as they shook hands. "Now," he continued, speaking to the druggist, "give Mr. —— what I left here for him and excuse me for a moment." With that he slipped out of a side entrance and the druggist handed the tailor a vial wrapped in the customary white paper. "What do I want with this?" asked the sartorial artist. "That," responded the master of the pharmacopœnia, "is what your friend said you were to get here." "Not at all!" the tailor ejaculated. "I understood that you have the cash for the clothes that he got from me." They stared each other in the face for thirty seconds and made a simultaneous break for the door through which the mutual friend had disappeared. But he was not in sight.

That Which Is In a Name.

General Sherman is looking into a show window. Out comes the proprietor and says: "How do you do, General?" "Very well, sir; but I don't remember you." "General," says the proprietor, as the General tells it, "I made your shirts." "Ah!" says the General, "I am happy to meet you." Then comes up an old friend of the General and introduces the two. "General, let me make you acquainted with Major Schurtz." "Ah!" says the General, with a new light to his ears and understanding.

In a Cow's Stomach.

In the stomach of a cow which was butchered at Washington Court-House, O., the following articles were found: Several nails two and three inches long, screws, brass nails, carpet tacks and a number of small stones. There was fully a quart of these articles in the cow's stomach. The cow was apparently in good health before being butchered.

Execution by Boiling.

The English law formerly prescribed boiling where the culprit had committed a crime extremely revolting in its nature. The last person to suffer death by boiling in England was Rouse, cook to the Bishop of Rochester, who had poisoned seventeen persons.

NOTICES.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $300,000 for Sewerage Purposes.

AND Whereas, it is expedient to raise the sum of $300,000 for the purpose of constructing a general system of sewerage works for the benefit of the City of Victoria.

And whereas, for the purposes aforesaid it will be necessary to raise by way of loan, upon the credit of said Corporation the sum of $300,000.

And whereas, it will require the sum of $14,659.65 to be raised annually by special rate, for the payment of said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1889, was $8,948,703, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from any stock, shares or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised or any part thereof, is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas for the saying of interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal sum of $14,659.65 and interest as hereinafter mentioned, it will require an equal annual rate of 164-1000 in the dollar.

And whereas it is the intention of the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that three persons, to be called Commissioners of Sewerage, shall be appointed to superintend the construction and erection of such sewerage works, and confirm all disbursements and outlays in connection therewith.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, for the purpose aforesaid, to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, the said sum of $300,000, and cause the same to be paid to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and in respect thereof for the said Mayor to issue debentures of the said Corporation to the amount of $300,000, in sums of not less than £200 sterling, or its equivalent, each payable at the end of fifty years from the date on which this By-law takes effect, and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable half yearly, on the 20th day of May and on the 20th day of November in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures.

2. The said debentures, as to principal and interest, shall be payable at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England, New York City, New York State, United States of America, or Victoria, Province of British Columbia, Canada.

3. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign and issue the said debentures hereby authorized to be issued. The Clerk of the said Corporation is hereby authorized and instructed to attach the seal of the said Corporation to the said debentures after such signing by the Mayor.

4. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 164-1000 in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be levied, raised and collected in each year upon all the rateable property in the said Corporation during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

5. This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1889, and amending Acts.

This By-Law shall take effect on the 20th day of November, 1890.

This By-law may be cited as the "Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 6th day of August, A.D. 1890.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates Street Ward; at the City Hall, for Johnson Street Ward, and at the Hook and Ladder House, Government Street, for James Bay Ward, on the 18th day of September next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

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A BY-LAW

Authorizing the Sale of Part of Lot 423, Block 2, Victoria City.

WHEREAS [the premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Tiger Fire Engine House, both situate in the City of Victoria, are in too close proximity to each other for the best protection from fire of the said City;

And whereas it has been found expedient to dispose of the premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Lot of land upon which the same is erected:

And whereas it is the intention of the Corporation of said city to purchase other land and premises at some more advantageous and useful position or positions in said City, and to use the proceeds of the sale of said Deluge Fire Engine House and premises in the purchase of the said other land and premises and the erection and establishment thereon of other fire engine stations.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. That the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria be, and he is hereby authorized to sell on behalf of the Corporation of the said City of Victoria the buildings and premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Lot of Land upon which the same is erected, being part of Lot 423, Block 2, of the City of Victoria.

2. That the said Clerk do advertise for tenders for the said land and hereditaments, and that the price at which the same are sold shall be first approved by the Municipal Council of the said City.

This By-law may be cited as the Deluge Fire Engine Sale By-law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of August, A.D. 1890.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates Street Ward; at the City Hall for Johnson Street Ward, and at the Hook and Ladder House, Government Street, for James Bay Ward, on the 18th day of September next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

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A BY-LAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the Year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his or their respective assessments on the said roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll, notify in writing the Clerk of the Municipal Council of his or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard.

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
aug2 C. M. C.

A BY-LAW,

To amend the "Revenue By-Law."

BE IT ENACTED, BY THE MAYOR AND Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. That sub-section 9 of Schedule A of the Revenue By-law, 1889, be amended by striking out all the words therein after the words "six months," at the end of the second line thereof

2. By adding at the end of section 22 of said Schedule "A," the following: "Every person who carries on the occupation of a stevedore, or who has taken contracts to load or unload ships within the Municipality, $50 for every six months."

This By-law may be cited as the "Revenue Amendment By-law, 1890, No. 2."

Passed the Municipal Council this 18th day of June, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1890.

JOHN GRANT,
[L. S.] Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C. jly9

MUNICIPAL.

To Owners of Real Estate.

Assessment notices have this day been mailed to all Owners of Real Estate in Victoria City.

In all cases where the numbers of the houses could be obtained from the Directory, the notices have been so addressed.

To prevent any mistakes, all parties are requested to call at the Post Office who do not receive their letters at their place of abode or business.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
au19-2w Assessor.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after the 10th day of July next, all parties whose properties have sewerage connection with the Johnson Street Ravine, will be prosecuted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J, DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jly1-tf

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that after the first day of October next it will be unlawful for any waggon or vehicle, carrying a load of more than two thousand pounds weight, avoirdupois, to be drawn or driven on any of the public highways of Victoria District, as defined by the Constitution Act, unless the tires of such waggon or vehicle shall be at least four (4) inches in width.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C. Aug. 9, 1890. au10

Respecting the Sale of Crown Lands

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PURsuant to an Order in Council, approved by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor on the 30th July, instant, the alienation of any and all Crown Lands by private sale will be discontinued from and after this date until further notice, pending contemplated legislation.

This notice shall not affect or prevent the right to complete the purchase or sale of any lands in respect of which notices of intention to make application to purchase have been published in the British Columbia Gazette prior to the first day of August next.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., July 31st, 1890. aug1

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" 12.40	"	" 8.26	"		COLWOOD	8.20	"	3.27	"	
" 11.45	A.M.	" 8.01	"		GOLDSTREAM	8.34	"	3.41	"	
" 10.50	"	" 7.06	"		SHAWNIGAN LKE	9.34	"	4.42	"	
" 10.40	"	" 6.59	"		COBBLE HILL	9.44	"	4.52	"	
" 10.27	"	" 6.41	"		MALAHAT	9.57	"	5.07	"	
" 10.17	"	" 6.31	"		KOKSILAH	10.07	"	5.17	"	
" 10.12	"	" 6.26	"		DUNCANS	10.12	"	5.22	"	
" 10.02	"	" 6.16	"		SAHTLENOS	10.22	"	5.32	"	
" 9.36	"	" 5.51	"		CHEMAINUS	10.48	"	5.54	"	
Ar 8.25	"	" 4.56	"	Ar 7.30 P.M.	NANAIMO	Ar 11.50	"	" 6.52	"	
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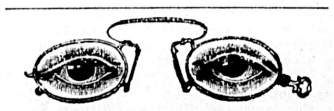

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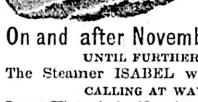

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Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

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More than 3,000,000 acres of the richest land in the State of Washington, lying to the West and Southwest, are directly tributary to Port Crescent.

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The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1890.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Mr Pearson, G K Carey, Dr White, Miss Wead, P A Dey and daughter, A Huston, W J Pendray, Jas Hunter, J Keen, J E Winslow, J Nellayer, T R Moore and wife, W H Doolittle, J E Smith, D P Ballard, H Blanken, G Ramsey, Mrs Steiner, E Huntington, N P Snowden, J Lascelles, Miss Shelack, J Henderson, brother and sister, Mrs Drant, H Miller, G Whittaker, Mrs Marshall, W P Cunningham, W Swenkert, Mrs Gove, Mrs Faye, Jas Scabie and wife, R Abbott, H W Hamalin, A Haines, J Lancaster.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN from the Sound.—F A Harbersham, G Brenaugh, J Y Cheney, Mrs E B Cosmer, Miss Early, Miss Moore, A L Stibbens and wife, J A Murray, J Fox, B Schwartz and wife, J Parry, Mrs Maguire and two children, D O'Leary, P G Vaughn, wife and sister, Edward Irwin, J W Carey, Mrs McGuane, E R Varcoe, A U Belvin and wife, J W Doxie, Rev Francis Murray, Rev. Frederick Murray, Jno Desills, J M Langley, G Bart, W B Chapin, G G Barnett and wife, Mrs Griffin, H C Ellis, A Harris, W Shellaber, J Atkinson, C F Atkinson, B Anderson and wife, T Haley, P H Donovan, R Robertson and wife, J Williams, W P Shannon and wife, F W Harris.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN from the Sound—J & A Clearihue.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—H Y & Co, Hudson B Co, G & McC, O C & F, F E, T B & Co, E P, W McC, H H, Coll Inland Revenue, G H Maynard, N W Woollen Mfg Co, D H Ross & Co, Fell & Co, W J Gage & Co, S Leiser, Marvin & T, J Sehl, A Westboven, Ye & Esq T Co, Jones & Co, Valo & Brooks, A McGregor & Co, J Weiler, McQuade & Son, M R Smith & Co.

Per C. P. R. and Steamer ISLANDER.—G. Brown, R S Wells, Miss Elliott, J H Todd, C P Lowe, P W Patterson, John Ruperts, W Whyte, Mrs J H Todd, Jas Sinclair, Mrs Capt O'Brien, T E Parlin, J P Elford, W J Smith, Dr Lynch, Miss Whyte, Mrs G Keefer, D A Ross, J W McFarland, J M Bowell, C H Wilson, Mrs Thomas, Mr. Yuiell, Miss White.

Per Steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver—J F Engelhardt, Hy Short, B Johnston, R A Brown & Co, E G Prior, A Cohen, R H Jamieson, J Piercey & Co, Russell, McDonald & Co, G Summondson, McLennan & McFeeley, A Lewis & Co, Sing Kee, King, Dyer & Co, Brown & White, A L Curtis, G W A Lange, J Wenger, H Bornstein, Thos Earle, Dom Exp Co.

MED.

BARGWANNA—In this city, on the 25th inst., Thomas Bargwanna, a native of Cornwall, England, aged 61 years.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Wednesday), at 2 o'clock, from Hayward's undertaking parlors, Government Street, and at 2:30 from Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited to attend.

CAMPBELL—In this city, on the 26th inst., John Campbell, youngest child of Thomas Campbell, aged 6 weeks.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander	from Vancouver.		
" Kingston	"	Pt. Townsend.	
" Belle	"	N.Westminster	
" Maude	"	Comox.	
" Rithet	"	N.Westminster	
" North Pacific	"	Pt. Townsend.	
" City of Topeka	"	Alaska.	
" Mystery	"	Nanaimo.	

CLEARED.

Str. Islander	for Vancouver.		
" Kingston	"	Pt. Townsend.	
" N. Pacific	"	"	
" Rithet	"	N. Westminster.	
" City of Topeka	"	Sound.	

FREIGHT AND SHIPPING.

Schooner Lottie arrived in yesterday morning from Boundary bay.

Steamer City of Topeka from Alaska called at the outer wharf early yesterday morning and passed down.

The tug Skidegate arrived last night with two cargoes of lumber.

Steamship Walla Walla arrived from San Francisco last night.

The Kingston's inward cargo last evening consisted of one car each of whiskey, beer, bacon, flour, and general merchandise.

Steamer City of Kingston last evening took out 1,100 cases of salmon consigned to Montreal and a carload of rice for Seattle.

Suddenly Prostrated.

GENTLEMEN,—I was suddenly prostrated while at work by a severe attack of cholera morbus. We sent at once for a doctor, but he seemed unable to help. An evacuation about every forty minutes was fast wearing me out, when we sent for a bottle of Wild Strawberry, which saved my life.
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IRELAND'S IMPENDING FAMINE.

Potatoes are Diseased and Even Sicken the Pigs—The Prediction of Sorry Times to Come is Sounded.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Although the London papers still discuss the subject in small type on their inside pages, and have not thought it worth while to send a single staff man to inquire into the exact situation, the conviction that an Irish famine is impending is slowly asserting itself in the popular mind as the dominant topic of interest. The progress of the idea may well be called slow. Forewarning that a blight had set in came from Southwest Cork as long ago as the middle of May, and in July the parish priests had scores of statements printed of the disaster hanging over their people, yet it is only a fortnight since Balfour spoke of having just learned that there was some little trouble with crops in certain districts and, as has been said, even now the London press only reprints summaries of the investigation reported by the Irish papers, yet these are enough to show the terror and the nature of the outlook.

Already the dread disease known as "famine fever," words which call up such sinister memories in all old enough to remember 1847, has made its appearance in the barony of Clonakilly, which is composed of rough coast land between Kinsale and Skibbereen. One death has occurred and numerous prostrations have been caused by eating diseased potatoes. Of 8,000 people in this district one-half will be entirely without food by the middle of September, and the gravest fears are entertained that before that date an epidemic of "famine fever" or English cholera, will become fastened upon the country. The potatoes are so badly diseased that even the pigs are injured by eating them. In the district round about Youghal, including the notorious Posonby estate, the farmers are plowing all the potato land up with the intention of planting cabbages in hope of providing some sort of food for the winter. These are only illustrations chosen at random from the whole country side. Thus far nothing has been done here, or elsewhere in England, for that matter, except languidly to discuss the subject, but a few weeks time will see it occupy the principal place in public talk and thought.

THE MONEY MARKET.

What Has Caused the High Rate of Interest in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—A prominent financial writer says in the Post this afternoon: The fact is that money was scarce and loaned this morning as high as 50 per cent. in the market, concurrent with a reduction in the Bank of England's rate of discount to 4 per cent. instead of 5, and that all the time for the last week or two, while money has been ranging from 10 to 50 per cent., it has been from 3½ to 3½ in London, and that this enormous difference in rates has not caused any considerable breaks in rates for exchange. This anomaly is difficult to account for except upon the theory that the people who could have transferred money enough from London to have relieved this market, have believed that the stringency here was only temporary and that for the short time on which they would get high rates for money, it would not pay to bring it here. There is an active demand for money all over the country, and before there is any decided relief to the New York money market there will necessarily be a decided break in the exchange point, which will bring back some of the gold sent out one month ago.

The total stock of silver bullion in the country is said to be $7,000,000 in the Atlantic seaboard cities and $2,000,000 in San Francisco, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis and Denver, or $9,000,000 in all, has been almost entirely accumulated in the last six months.

PHILLIPSON'S NEMESIS

Pursues Him from Copenhagen to New York—Murder Will Out Eventually.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Alexander Phillipson, who arrived on the steamship Normandie from Hamburg, Friday, was arrested to-day, charged with the murder of Dane Mayer, whose body was shipped to this country from Copenhagen last April in a barrel. Phillipson was recognized by C. E. Jacobson, who knew both him and Mayer in Copenhagen. Phillipson was arrested in Copenhagen and is said to have confessed his crime, but was subsequently sent to an insane asylum. He tells numerous stories concerning himself, all of which conflict in important particulars. The immigration authorities will investigate the matter, meanwhile Phillipson will be held in custody.

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